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Bret against Johnson.



In an information for the King by the Attorney General against Sir Robert Johnson for entrie into a house, and Close in Buckingham Town, called the Parsonage Close, in February 4. Jac. upon not guilty pleaded a special verdict was found to this effect: that Queen Elizabeth was seised in fee, in right of her Crown of the late Prebends of Sutton Buckingham, Horton, and Hordley in the Countie of Buck. where of the place where it is parcel, and the 20 Februarie 11. Eliz. granted to Henry Seymor Lord Seymor the said Prebends for life rendring 11. s. 4. for rent, and the Jurors say, that these Letters Patents, by the command of the said Lord Seymor were restored to be cancelled; and he being seised pro ut lex postulat, Queen Eliz. 21. Mar. 37. Eliz. reciting the former Patent, Quas quidem litteras patentes, et totum jus, statum, titulum, terminum et interesse de et in premissis prefatus dominus Seymor modo habens, et gaudens sursum reddidit et restituit cancellandum, to this intencion nevertheless that we should make to him another patent, which surrender we accepted of by these presents; the by her patent under the great Seal as well in consideration of the said surrender, as for other causes and considerations, demised and granted to the said Lord Seymor the said four Prebends for his life, the remainder to Anthony Wingfield for life, the remainder to Robert Johnson for life rendring 90 l. 3 s. 3. d. for rent, and they found that there was not any actual surrender, or cancellation of the said Letters Patents of 11. Eliz. but restituit. ad cancellandum as befoze the making, and acceptance of the second Patent of 37. Eliz. and they found that there was not any Vacat made upon the inrolment of the Patent of 11. Eliz. and they found that 10. April 37. Eliz. Anthony Wingfield, and Johnson granted to the Lord Seymor for 90. years to commence after his death, or forfeiture of his estate, if Wingfield, or Johnson, or one of them should so long live, and 20. April the same year the Lord Henry Seymor granted to Sir Robert Johnson for 60. years to begin after the death of the said Seymor, rendring 400. l. rent to him his Executors or assigns; the Lord Seymor died 4. Jac. and Sir Robert Johnson entred, upon which entrie this information was brought: nay, that the Defendant is guilty; and he divided the case into two points. First, if there be any actual surrender of the patent of 11. Eliz. because there is not any record thereof, and the King cannot take by bargain or contract if there be not a record of it, as appears by 5. E. 4. and 7. E. 4. 6. and Plowden in the Duchy of Lancasters case, for as it is there said, it agrees with the Maxime of the King to have a record of things made

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made by him, or to him, and if a grant is pleaded to be made to the King, it is good to say quod non habetur tale Recordum, and here is no record, but a memorandum made upon it, for otherwise leases made by Abbots before the dissolution shall be said to be of record, because after the dissolution they were all put in the Tower amongst the records, but questionless those leases are not of record, because there is not any Memorandum made upon them: also in the Lord Latimers case 12 H. 7. in Kelloway, where Baron and feme leased in right of the feme in fee granted to the King, this is not good if the deed be not enrolled, for there they of the other side would have concluded the Tenant to say the contrary, but that the deed was enrolled, and so by way of admittance confess that a grant to the King is not good, if the deed be not enrolled: 3. Eliz. Dyer the Lord Dacres surrendered a patent of an office granted to him before Sir Nicholas Hare Master of the Rolls, but the surrender was not recorded, nor the patent Cancelled, nor a Vacat entered upon the enrolment, this is void, and shall not be aided now after the death of Sir Nicholas Hare per optimam opinionem; in Kemps case Dyer 195. but it will be said that it appears not there, that the surrender was made in Chancery, and therefore differs from our case; but see 19. Eliz. Dyer 355. which is direct in the point, where an exchange of land was with E. 6. by deed acknowledged to be enrolled &c. but not enrolled, it cannot after nor be enrolled, nor vest any interest in the Queen either as heir, or Purchaser, so hereby it appears that before enrolment, an estate vests not in the King, and he said that he had heard Popham late chief Justice say, that the opinion of the Judges was, that in this case nothing vests in the King until enrolment, and for that there was a private Act made in 39. Eliz. to relieve this particular case, so the Memorandum makes the record, and not the delivery of the patent to be cancelled, but the opinion of Davers in 37. H. 6. 10. may be objected against me, where he saith, that if a man make a feoffment to the King, and deliver the deed in the Exchequer, or at the Kings Officers, it is good without enrolment, which by the Court is intended for goods, and not to a feoffment made to the King, for this is only the opinion of Davers, which I deny to be law, and also all this may be admitted for law, and yet prove nothing, for when the partie surrenders to the King, and delivers the deed to be enrolled, so that he had done all which in him is to pass the land to the King, then it may aptly be said in common speech, that the right of the land is in the King: because he of right ought to have it after enrolment, although he had not the propriety of the land before the Deed be enrolled, then if nothing vest in the Queen in the principal case before the patent made in 37. Eliz. the words subsequent in the patent will not help the matter, viz. quam quidem farsum redditio- nem acceptamus per presentes, because the King had taken nothing before, and the recital in the patent concludes not the Queen; it hath been said that the not making of a Memorandum is the fault of the Clark, and this shall not prejudice the partie in so great a mischief, but I answer that the same mischief will insue, where a man sells land by indenture, and delivers it to the Clark to be enrolled, and he enrols it not within 6. months, nothing shall pass by the sale; yet this is only the fault of the Clark, but in this case he may have his action upon the case against the Clark, if so it be that he had paid all his fees, the same law in the principal case, but admitting that, yet great mischief will insue if it be so that the estate shall pass to the King before enrolment, for then the estate and interest shall be tried by the Countre, and not by the record, and then also in what place should a man search to finde the Kings estate, and perhaps for want of knowledge thereof every grant of the King will be avoided, and this would be a great mischief to the subjects, but admitting that this should be a good surrender without a Memorandum, or Vacat, yet this is not shewed in this case, for it appears not here that his intent was to surrender it, for although he deliver up his Letters patents, yet his estate remaines; and then the consideration of the patent in 37. Eliz. being of a surrender of the first patent, and also of a surrender of the estate, if the estate be not surrendered as well

as the patent, the consideration is for that false, and then the patent is void, and to prove that the estate remains although that the patent be surrendered, it appears by Fisher 12. H. 7. 12. where Tenant in tail of the gift of the King loses his letters patents, his heir is not at a mischief, for he may have a Constat, and this shall be good in evidence, but he cannot plead it, and this appears by the Preamble of the Statute of 13. Eliz. cap. 6. Dean and Chapter Lease land, this shall be by Deed, and in this case although that the lessee redeliver his deed, it is no surrender of the estate, but he shall not plead it without shewing a Deed of the assent of the Chapter; but he shall give it in evidence, and good, because he had once a Deed thereof, as it appears by 32. E. 3. Monstrance of Deeds, and it appears by 32. H. 8. Patents Br. 97. that if the Kings Patentee lose his letters Patents, he shall have a Constat, and by 32. H. 8. Surrender Br. 51. and 35. H. 8. tail: that if the King give in tail, and the Donee surrender his Patent, the tail thereby is not extinct, so although letters Patents are necessary for pleading of the Kings Grant, yet they are not requisite for the essence and continuance of the estate: also it is found that the said Patents were restored to be cancelled per mandatum Domini Seymor, & it is not found what manner of authoritie the Lord S. gave, nor found to whom the letters Patents were delivered, nor at what time, and peradventure they were delivered after the second Patent made, and then is the second Patent false, because then there was no surrender, and this is one of the reasons put in Kemps case 3. Eliz. 195.

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The second point admitting that there is no actual surrender, if notwithstanding that, the Patent of 37. Eliz. be good, and as to that, I say if this Patent be good, it is because the Queen had recited the particular estate, and therefore is not to her damage, or because the second Patent is a surrender in law of the first, and the rather because it appears to be the intention of the Queen, that the acceptance should be a surrender by these words, *quam quidem solum redditionem acceptacius per presentes*; and as to the first reason it seems to me, that the Queen recites this as a particular estate determined, and not as an estate continuing, for by these words *modo habens et gaudens* it appears that the meaning of the Queen was, that the Lord Seymor had not an estate continuing in the intent of the Queen at the time of the making of the second Patent, but the Lord Chandos case in Co. 6. fol. 55. seems to impugn me in this opinion, where the King made a gift in tail, and afterward by Patent reciting the former Grant, and also that the Patentee had delivered up the Patent into the Chancery to be cancelled, by virtue whereof he thought himself to be seised in demesne as of fee, did grant the lands unto the said Donee in fee, in that case it was adjudged that the reversion did pass unto the Donee, although the words of the reversion were not contained in the Patent: although that the King in that case did think that he granted a possession, but the reason of that was, that although the Patent was not enrolled, yet by law it should have been surrendered unto the King, nevertheless because that was the collection of the King, and not the suggestion of the partie that the King was seised by virtue &c. therefore the collection being false shall not make the Patent void, for all there that came of the suggestion of the partie is true, but our case is otherwise, for here the intention of the King was, that he had the land in possession when he had made the grant, and in truth he had but a reversion: also if the Patent should be good, great prejudice would or might ensue to the Queen thereby, for put the case that the Queen had annexed a condition to this lease, or that she had reserved a greater rent upon it, this condition, or increasing of the rent was the cause that the Queen had made this grant, and that if the second grant should be good, and the first not determined, that the Grantee may claim his first estate, and so defeat the Queen of her rent, and of his condition to have benefit of either, and this was the reason why the Patent was adjudged void in the case of Barwick Co. lib. 5. fo. 94. because some parcels were not surrendered to the Queen, and therefore they were not subject to conditions, or rent reserved upon the

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the second Patent: and for a second reason he argued that the acceptance of the second Patent is not a surrender in Law of the first Patent, because the first Patent is merely void, as it appears in Fulmerston and Stewards case Plowden 107. that the reason why the taking of a second lease shall be a surrender of the former is, because both the estates cannot be in one and the same Parson at one and the same time, but this reason holds not in our case, because no estate passeth by the second Patent in regard it is void, and therefore this case may be resembled unto the last case in 23. Eliz. Dyer, where a man taking a second benefice incompatible without dispensation, doth not make the first benefice void by the Statute against Pluralities, because he never was a lawful Parson of the second benefice in respect he never subscribed to the Articles according to 13. Eliz. cap. 12. and in Harries and Wings case the second Patent was void: but a third reason was, he thought that these words *Quam quidem sursum redditionem acceptamus* have not aided this Grant, for the second Patent is made in consideration of a surrender made by the Patentee, and therefore there ought to be a good surrender made by him, or otherwise the consideration is false, for the King in consideration of a surrender made doth grant lands where in fact there was no surrender, as if the King grant black acre in consideration of a surrender of white acre, which in fact was not done, this grant is void: also this appears by these words *modo habens et gaudens sursum reddidit et restituit &c.* that the intention of the Queen was, that the Lord Seymor had surrendered before, and that he had no estate at this time of the making of the grant, for these words *modo habens et gaudens* ought to be interpreted according to the rules of Grammar, and for that in 9. H. 7. 16. b. the Court consulted with Grammarians touching the exposition of Latine words and was by them directed, and he said that this word *modo* had divers significations, for this signifieth *nuper*, *interdum*, *aliquando*, but most properly it signifieth *nuper*, or *interdum*, *modo Paratus erat*, *Codrus erit subito*, *qui modo Cræsus erat*, *modo ad hunc diem &c.* there it signifieth the present tense, or time, but in the principal case, if *modo* should signifie the present tense, then it would not stand with this word *sursum reddidit* which is the preter tense, but if here it be construed that *modo* signifieth the present tense, this may well stand with *sursum reddidit*, and the meaning of the Queen ought to be taken to be that the Queen was deceived, and the Patent void, although in the principal case here was a good surrender before the second patent, yet until agreement nothing vests in the Queen, and therefore if a man pleads a surrender made by the lessee to him in reversion, he ought to plead an agreement to this surrender, and 13. H. 4. that this is not in him before agreement and entrie, and 32. E. 3. Bar 262. that until agreement nothing vests in him; it was lately adjudged in the Common Pleas, where an incumbent had resigned yet until the ordinary did agree unto it, he remained an incumbent still, and for that in as much as the Queen had not agreed before the second Patent made, nothing vests in her till then, and then she was deceived, for she thought that she was in possession thereof at the time of the grant, and therefore he concluded that he conceived the Patent was void. Brock to the contrary, and he divided the case into three points. First, whether here be an actual surrender found to be made in Law. Secondly, if the acceptance of the second lease be good, or if the Queen rectifying the estate, and that he had surrendered which the Queen had accepted, and that in consideration thereof she made the Grant, whether this be made good although there be no actual surrender. Thirdly, admit that here be no actual surrender in fact, whether this grant be aided by the Statute of 43. Eliz. cap. 1. but first before he would enter into his argument, he said that he would wash away the Rubs cast in his way to make his way the smoother, and first where it hath been said, that if the Queen should take by contract, or bargain without record that great mischief would ensue, for by that means the Queens title should be tried by the Countrey: and in proof thereof he cited the Lord Latimers case in 12. H. 7. 10. 11. which he thought to be no authority

title for that purpose, for there the opinion of the Court was delivered concerning the shewing forth of Letters Patents, but not concerning matter of enrolment, also the case was of an estate of inheritance to be conveyed from the King, but the case now in question is but for an estate for life, which may in law more easily be determined than an estate of inheritance conveyed: also the case of 19. Eliz. Dyer 355 cited of the other part proves not this case, for first the question was not there whether the King took any thing without enrolment, but whether the Deed may be enrolled in the time of another King. Secondly, if this be confessed that the King there should take nothing without enrolment, yet this is not like to our case, for here this is but to merge a particular estate which differs much from the case of conveying of an inheritance: also this is confessed if there had been a Memorandum made in the Exchequer, then the surrender had been good: and the want thereof is the laches of the Clerk, and then if it should not be a surrender before the Memorandum made, the Clerk should make the surrender, and not the parties: and as to the Book of 37. H. 6. it is not answered, for to say, that the King hath no right to the thing granted before enrolment, but that he hath the property, that cannot be: and to that which hath been objected, that there doth not appear any intention of the surrender, because that although the Patents are surrendered, the estate remained, the Book of 32. E. 3. Monfrance of faith 178. proveth nothing, for there it is said, that a man may plead, that a Dean and Chapter did not lease modo et forma without shewing any Deed, for there this pleading is not to devert any thing out of ac. and also it appears in the principal case, that his intent was to surrender, for the Jury do finde that the Letters Patents were re-voled by the command of the Lord Seymor to be cancelled: and to that which hath been objected, if the second Patent should be good, that the Queen might lose her Rent, or condition, because the first lease hath his continuance; so that I give answer, that the first lease hath not his continuance, and therefore no loss can grow to the Queen: and to that which hath been objected, that the Queen is deceived, it appears by these words modo habens &c. restituit &c. that the intention of the Queen was, that the Lord Seymor had surrendered his estate before, and that he now had nothing, because that the word modo being joynd with the word reddidit signifieth the time past, but as to that it seems to me, that although (modo) poetical licence in the strict construction of Grammar may signifie the time past, yet the signification thereof shall not be so taken in the letters Patents, for there it shall be taken in common construction, and not to the deceit of the King, and therefore in the Dean and Chapter of Bristols case 7. E. 6. Dyer the words are nuper in Tenura I. S. et modo in Tenura A. B. there nuper is taken for the time past, but modo for the present time: and in 11. H. 7. Rogerum Townesend modo militem is to be intended that he is now Knight, and not that he was a Knight in time past, and not now; also it is so to be observed here, that these words (habens et gaudens) are annexed to this word modo, both which are in the present time, and restituit comes afterwards, and so modo is not annexed to restituit, but unto habens et gaudens, also although the word shall be referred unto restituit, yet all may well stand together, for restituit may be referred unto the time present, as siquæ fuerint in 35. H. 6. 11. and to that which hath been objected, that until the Queen agrees unto the surrender, the estate is not in the Queen, he thought that where Tenant for life surrenders before agreement, he in the reversion is Tenant to the Præcipe, although he shall not maintain a Trespass before entrie, for by 21. H. 7. 12. it appeareth that an estate for life may be determined as well by word as by surrender, so in 9. H. 7. where the Tenant dies without here, the freehold is immediately in the Lord, but yet he shall not have an action of Trespass before entrie: now as to the first point he conceived it to be an actual surrender although there be no Vacat made, nor any Memorandum, and so examine if he did relate what Acts might make a surrender, and to that purpose he said, that words being used which do prove an assent of the Tenant, that

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he in reversion shall have an estate, that shall be a surrender without express words of a surrender, for a man may surrender by these words Remisit, or resignavit, for the words are not material, if so there be substance, as in 40. E. 3. placito 14. and 40. Assises pl. 16. if a lessee for life saith to his lessor, that you shall enter, and I will that you shall have this land, this is a good surrender. So in 28. H. 8. Dyer 33. if a Termor agree that he in the reversion shall make a feofment, that is a surrender, so in 8. Eliz. Dyer 251, 252. lessee for life is content that he in the reversion shall have the land, and his interest, that is a surrender, but in that case it appeared that a rent was reserved, and an agreement that the lessee should have it againe, if he survived the lessor, and therefore appearing plainly that it was not intended to pass by way of surrender, it was at the last adjudged no surrender, so in 14. H. 8. the Grantee of a Rent did surrender the Deed, and that held to be a good surrender of the Rent: it is doubted in 2. Eliz. Dyer in Sir Maurice Barkleys case 156. if the surrender of the Patent of an Office, unto a master of the Chancery out of the Court be good without deliberation of the Patent to be cancelled, but that Book proveth nothing, but that a delivery of a Patent to be cancelled shall be a good surrender, though the Patent be not cancelled in fact: it hath been objected, that it matters not what commandment the Lord Seymour did give, nor in what Court the Patents were given up, nor before whom; but to that he said inasmuch as it is found, that the Patents were given up by the commandment of the Lord Seymour to be cancelled, that being it was by his command, it was his own surrender: also it appears that the letters Patents were under the great Seal of England, which alwayes issueth out of the Chancery, and therefore it cannot be cancelled in any other Court, and it shall be intended, that they were given up to be cancelled there, also this word restituit significeth to restore, and a man cannot restore any thing but where he had it, and he had it out of the Chancery, and therefore it shall not be otherwise intended but to be there restored, so in Baggots Assise 9. E. 4. 7. it is pleaded Quod restituit litteras Patentes Cancellandas, and sheweth not to whom, nor where, and it was held to be very good: but it is there pleaded Quod sursum reddidit Patentes Domini Regis, and shewed in special to whom they were surrendered, because it may be to any that hath power at the time of the surrender, but a man cannot restore unto any, but such a one who granted unto him, and therefore needs not shew unto whom he did restore: and these words restituit Cancellandas are no new words, but usually used in surrenders of Patents, as it appears by 9. E. 4. 7. and in Altonwoods case Cook lib. 1. and there the not entering of a Vacat doth not hurt, for it was the fault of the Clerk: and Sir Maurice Barkleys case in 2. Eliz. 176. cited before doth not question it, that the entering of a Vacat should be material; but the question here is, because he did not deliver them up to be cancelled; in the Lord Darcies case Dyer 195. the jury did think that there was no surrender at all, but the Book doth not warrant but that there may be a surrender without a Vacat: and he said, that at this time the matter is depending for Saint Savours in Southwark if it be a good surrender without a Vacat entered, and no opinion as yet given in that case: and where it hath been objected, that there is no actual surrender until that the Queen hath agreed, and 8. and 21. H. 7. cited, that where a man pleads a surrender, he must also plead an agreement, yet because the agreement cannot appear by any Record, that the parties can procure to be made of it, it shall be good, although there be no record made of that agreement; yet in this case, the Queen doth agree, as appears by the words in the second Patent, Quam quidem sursum redditionem acceptamus &c. Secondly, admitting there is no actual surrender in this case, yet if when the Queen did recite the particular estate, and that she had accepted the surrender thereof, and in consideration of it she maketh a grant, whether this second Patent shall be good, and it seemeth that it shall: and therefore it appeareth by 37. H. 6. 18. that the taking of a second lease shall be a surrender of the former: and in Corbets case 11. Eliz. Dyer

280. & 4. Mar. Dyer 140. although the first lease be by deed indented, and the second but by word: and in Ives case Cook lib. 5. 11. acceptance of a future lease is a surrender of a lease in possession; and to that purpose is 21. H. 7. 14. H. 8. 15. 31. Assises placito 26. and other Books, and in 3. Eliz. Dyer 200. the King granted a house for years, and after did grant to the Patentee the custody of the house with a fee, and the Patentee accepted the fee, and it is there doubted if that shall be a surrender of the Term, and the matter was Compounded, but he said that he heard that the opinion of the Judges was, that the acceptance of the custody and fee was a surrender of the Term, by that I do infer, that there shall be a surrender by implication as well where the King is partie, as where a common person only, first, if a surrender be effectual, it is sufficient although it be not formal, because it worketh as much profit to the King, and the surrender in this case was at the same instant that the Queen did Seal the letters Patents, for the estate posseth from the Queen without delivery: and it appears that the intention of the Queen was not to have any actual possession of that, by these words (modo habens et gaudens:) but it hath been objected in as much as this surrender was at an instant, that it should be void; because that in instants the best shall be taken for the King, yet it seemeth to me that it is good, as in the case of 49. E. 3. 5. a. a man deviseth Burgage land holden of the King, and dieth without heir, this devise is not good against the King, because the devise taketh not effect until the instant of the devisors death, and at that instant also both the title of the King begin by death without heir; and he cited Plowden 108 & 109. in Fulmerstons case, for the exposition of these words (not now in being) within the Statute of Monasteries; and if in that case issue had been taken, whether it had been a surrender or not, it should have been found to be a surrender, because it is a surrender in the law, as it was in Thetfores case in the Common Pleas p. 28. Eliz. Rot. 122. in wast, Baron and Feme Donees in tail make a lease for life, the husband dieth, and the wife disagreeeth to the lease, and the issue was, if the husband and wife did lease, and it was found that they did not lease, because now by her disagreement it is become in law not the lease of the wife; Cook lib. 3. Butler and Bakers case accordingly fo. 27. & 28. but if the King be to sustain any loss by the consideration if that were false, then shall it make the Patent void: as it is in 9. H. 6. where the King was deceived in the value, fo. 18. Eliz. Dyer 352. where there was a loss in esse; but it is contrary where there grows no loss to the King as 26. & 28. H. 8. of a thing passed: because the King is not to have benefit of it, the Lord Chandos case is not answered on the other side, for there the King did intend to have the actual possession where in facto he had not, yet because that was only a recital and Collection, in the matter in law it doth no hurt, so in the principal case, and so if the King grant a Mannor although he hath but a reversion of it, yet it shall pass without the word reversion 7. Eliz. Dyer 233. and the Kings Patent also shall be so construed, that one part may stand with another, viz. that the Lord Seymour now having the estate &c. doth restore unto us, &c. the which we do accept &c. as in Sir John Molins case 40. Eliz. Cook 6. Lord, mesne, and Tenant, the Tenant was attainted of Treason; and the King did grant the land, tenendum de nobis &c. suis nostris et aliis cap. dominis feodi illius per servitium inde debita, et de jure consueta. He shall in that case hold of the mesne as the Tenant held before, for if he should hold of the King, the words subsequent would be void; and for that cause such a construction shall be made that all may stand together; now for the third point, admit that the surrender is not good, yet it is aided by the Statute of 43. Eliz. cap. 1. which aides all grants and surrenders &c. to or from the Queen: the clauses for conveyances to the Queen are with restraint, but for the conveyances of the Queen there are certain exceptions, our case is within that part of the Statute which relates unto the 25th. year of her Reign, and our case is within the words of the Statute, viz. surrenders, and surrenders within the Statute are such as are surrenders

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to a common intent, and therefore where the partie hath done that in him lieth, but some thing is to the perfection of a surrender, that is aided by the Statute: also by this word assurance in the Statute a purchase without deed is not aided, by a good assurance a surrender without deed is aided within the Statute, or else the Statute should serve for little or nothing, the Statute of confirmations of letters Patents hath the same words. That the Statute of 43. Eliz. hath, and upon 18. Eliz. it was resolved in 27. of Eliz. in Husseys case, that if Tenant in tail be and the reversion is granted to Queen Eliz. this is good, and aided by the Statute, so if a man grant lands to the King, but the Deed is not inrolled, this also is aided by the Statute, and where a grant shall be good at the Common Law by a Common person, there the like grant made by the King is made good by the Statute, and there was a case in the Dutchy Chamber Trin. 37. Eliz. between Cavendish and Bateman, where the Queen did grant Turbary within the Pannoz of Lady Meadows within the Countie of Darby unto Bateman for 21. years, Bateman thereof makes a meadow, and afterwards the Queen in consideration of the surrender of the first grant, doth grant the same unto him for 40. years by the name of a meadow, and although he made no surrender, yet by the taking of the grant it was resolved that it was a good surrender, because there it was but of a particular estate, but otherwise it should be of fee, for a fee cannot be surrendered by implication: Dodderidge Serjeant of the King, argued that the Defendant is guilty of intrusion: and he divided the case into two parts only, the first whether there be a sufficient consideration at the Common Law, to make the second Patent void, the second point admitting that there is not a sufficient consideration by the rule of the Common Law, whether the defect thereof be aided by the Statute of 43. Eliz. and he argued that the surrender, which the Queen intended to be the consideration of the grant, was an actual surrender already perfected before the grant, which doth plainly appear to be so as he took it by the word sursum redditionem, and he said that he could not so have that word in thepreterperfect Tense, as it would be supplied by an act of the Present Tense as is pretended, viz. that the surrender is to be made by the acceptance of a new grant: and he vouched 35. H. 6. also he thought her to intend an actual surrender for another reason, viz. for the words nobis sursum reddidit et restituit cancellandum, the which cannot be performed without an actual surrender, for otherwise there is no restoring: and he vouched 18. Eliz. fo. 437. & 43. E. 3. fo. 19. where it is observed, that if a wife do not remain with an Adulterer with her own accord &c. another reason, the Queen did intend an actual surrender, because of the words (ea intentione) which imply a surrender to have been actually precedent; another reason was for that hereby the acceptance of the second Patent there is no surrender wrought of the former estate in the Law, until after the acceptance of the second letters Patents, and so the Queen deceived in the time: and he vouched the case of Totnes in 40. Eliz. in the Kings Bench, and Savages case in 9. H. 8. Carrels Rep. fo. 195. and here it appeareth, there was no surrender upon record precedent unto the second grant: also it ought to have been found by a special verdict, that the second letters Patents were granted at the suit of Seymor, or otherwise the granting of them to him makes no surrender of his former letters Patents, and then it follows that they are not surrendered yet. And where it hath been objected that the Queen useth these words in the second letters Patents, quas quidem litteras patentes prædictus Seymor modo habens et gaudens, and therefore it must be intended she takes notice that the first letters Patents were not yet surrendered, for then she would not say (modo habens et gaudens) he answered that this word modo signifieth the time passed, or the time presently for to pass, and the word habens cannot be taken in a legal sense, no otherwise then the word being is taken in Dockwrais case, 37. H. 8. fo. 19. and so these words modo habens et gaudens, signifie no more but that once he had an estate; also the Queen is deceived in this word accepimus, for she cannot in the Law be said to accept

except of that which by the Law is not vested in her: also he said that an actual surrender ought to be an actual giving up of so much as the Patentees received of her grant, as it appears 14. H. 8. 21. E. 3. Brook Prerogative 90. 7. E. 6. Dyer Sir Maurice Barklies case 2. Eliz. 159. Sir Ralph Sadlers case, that a duplicat is not sufficient if the letters Patents be surrendered and cancelled 3. Eliz. Dyer 195. and he said that the surrender which the Queen intended, ought to pass an estate from the partie surrendring which is not so done here: and where it hath been objected that the very deliber y in the Court made of the letters Patents is a surrender of them, by the opinion of Davers in 37. H. 6. fo. 10. he said that this book was no Law as it may appear 12. H. 7. fo. 12. Carrels Reports: although in that book also Vavasour agreeth with Davers: and where it hath been objected that here is an actual surrender made, yet the intention of the Queen ought to be observed to make it an effectual surrender, or otherwise though she hath no loss by the surrender that is made, yet is it no effectual surrender, as appears by 18. Eliz. Dyer 352. and so also was the case of the Isle of Man: also Sir Henry Seymor did not in this case all that he might have done for the perfecting of this surrender, for he ought to have seen this his surrender recozded, as it appears by the book case of the 11. H. 4. where it appeareth that if I be bound to levie a fine I ought to sue forth a writ of covenant or dedimus potestatem, and do all such other acts as it may make it a good and perfect fine in Law. Secondly, he took it that the Statute of 43. Eliz. did no whit aid this case, for that makes no surrender to the Queen to be a good surrender, but only an actual surrender which here is wanting, and the Statute in no sort extendeth to a surrender in the Law, for the surrender which this Statute intendeth to aid, ought to be a surrender conveying and assuring &c. and this surrender in the law conveyeth nothing but only extinguissheth, and for that purpose he put this case, if A. take a new lease of the Queen in 27. by indenture and this is of his own land, this Statute of 43. Eliz. doth not make such a kind of conveyance in the Law, by Escoppel good to vest the land in the Queen by this Escoppel which is a conveyance in the Law, unto the which the Lord chief Baron Tanfield said, insist not upon a labour of that kinde for it is plain enough, because the Queen being partie there can be no Escoppel as to any part in that case, also as to that part of his argument Mr. Walter agreed on the other side, and also he said, that if a grant of the Queen were void at the Common Law for default or want of consideration, this Statute aids not; Walter for the Defendant, and he divided the case into foure points, the first whether the Tenant for life by the Kings gift by surrendring his letters Patents hath also surrendered his estate. Secondly, if the surrender in this case made be defective only for want of matter of circumstance as the intolment &c. whether such defects are saved by the Statute 43. Eliz. Thirdly, whether in this case an actual surrender be the consideration meerly which moveth the Queen to grant, or what shall be intended the consideration in this case. Fourthly, admitting that an actual surrender is the sole consideration in this case, then whether a Patent shall be adjudg'd void for default of such consideration, for a false consideration doth not avoid a Patent, but a false surmise doth first when the Kings Tenant for life doth surrender or give up his Patent (although without deed) yet with such circumstances as the law requirerth, the surrender is good: for although a surrender of letters Patents made by the Kings Tenant in tail will not make estate tail void or determine, as it appears by the book case of 35. H. 8. title surrender and Cook 6. the Lord Chandos case, yet the bare giving up of the letters Patents by a Tenant for life is a surrender of his estate, so here in this case is some proportion between a Tenant for life of the Queen, and a Tenant for life of a Common person to amount to a surrender, and therefore it appeareth by 43. E. 3. that a Tenant for life may surrender without deed, and without livery and from the land, but a Tenant in tail may not do so: also if a Common person hath a rent or other thing which cannot pass but by deed, yet a surrender of such a rent shall be good by a

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bare deliberie up of the deed if he hath but an estate for life in the Reint: and this also, although it be but to the disseisor of the land out of which &c. the same Law, he took it of a particular Tenant for life of years: also 32. H. 8. Brook Patents 97. it is made a doubt whether the estate tail of the Kings Donee be determined and gone by surrendring of the letters Patent, and he referred that if thought worthy of a doubt whether it should be a good surrender of an estate tail, they would have held it clearly a surrender for an estate for life: and it was admitted 3. Eliz. Dyer fo. 193. Mack-Williams case, that if in the principal case if a Vacat or cancellation had been, the surrender had been good actually without question: and Sir Maurice Barkleys case cited on the other part proves the same also, for there it is admitted, that if the letters Patents had been given up, there had been a perfect surrender. And 40. H. 3. fol. 5. Belknap held that a surrender may be by word, which is to be intended by giving up the Patent: and that appears by Rolfs case in Dyer, that a voluntary surrender needs no Constat: also where it hath been objected that the special verdict in this case hath not found in what Court the surrender was made, he answered, that the Law shall intend it to be made in the same Court from whence the letters Patents did issue, for a surrender cannot be good being made in another Court, and therefore it must needs be intended the same Court: and he vouched 11. Ed. 3. fo. 1. and 18. Eliz. Plinies Case and Covell and Cabels Case in Banco Regis 38. Eliz. wherein a special verdict it was holden that all things necessary for the perfecting of that the Jury hath found to be done, must be necessarily intended concurrent. Secondly, the want of circumstances in a surrender are perfected and supplied by the Statute of 43. Eliz. for although matters of substance are not aided within this Statute, yet matters of circumstances are aided. And he said that all the defects in this Case are matters of circumstance, and to prove that the defects in this Case are only in circumstance, he said that there are three principal defects in conveyances which are merely matters of circumstance and aided within this Statute, the first is merely want of form in a conveyance, and that such a defect is aided, he cited Huffles Case to be adjudged accordingly; the second is where words are wanting in a conveyance, and that such a conveyance is aided by this Statute, he cited the opinion of Popham and Gawdy in 44. Eliz. in a cause depending in the Chancery: the third matter of circumstance is where there is want of some matter concerning the executing of an estate, and that such defect is only matter of circumstance and aided within this Statute he cited Morley and Whartons Case to be adjudged 7. Eliz. in the Common Pleas, that the default of not inrolling is aided by this Statute, and Mack-Williams and Kemps Case cited in Dyer before, proves this to be but matter of circumstance, and for that he thought the surrender in the principal Case wanting nothing but inrolment is aided by this Statute: also in the argument of the second point he shews what defects in conveyances should be accounted matter of substance and so not aided by this Statute of 43. Eliz. and to this purpose he held: that all disabilities of the person in a grant is matter of substance, and so not aided within this Statute; and he cited Twynes Case 32. Eliz. in the Exchequer to be accordingly. Secondly, he held that the nature of an assurance is not aided by this Statute, and therefore if a man hath power to grant an estate by fine, and he doth it by Deed, this is not aided by the Statute, for this is defective in matter of substance, and he cited Wisemans Case, and Sir Hugh Cholmleys Case in Cook l. 2. also he said if a man give land to the King and his heirs to have ten years after such grant, this is not made good by the Statute. Thirdly, whereas it may be collected, that because it is found in the special verdict that an actual surrender was the cause which moved the Queen to grant, or that it appears to be the cause, he held that no consideration plainly appeareth but only by relation to a consideration before mentioned, and he said that these words used by the Queen viz. (modo habens et gaudens) shew that the Queen took notice the State was still enjoyed notwithstanding the delivery up of the letters

letters Patents; and therefore it cannot be intended by the verdict that the Queen intended an actual surrender before made for the consideration: but whereas it hath been objected of the other part, that the word *modo* doth often signifie the time past, and some instances according to Grammatical construction were given in proof thereof; and thereupon they would infer that the Queen by these words *modo habens* did intend no other but lately having or enjoying: to that he gave a double answer; to the first he said, that there was no cause shewed of instance given. That *modo habens* joyued together will signifie a time past, though taken severally they may signifie so much, which makes a plain difference betwixt those instances, and this present case. Secondly, admitting in a Grammatical construction they did signifie as the other side would have it, yet the judges ought to adjudge thereof according to the most natural sense of these words in Common understanding, and that so it may be done, he vouched one Talborts Case in 32 Eliz. in Banco Regis, in which after the Judges had conferred in the Court with divers learned Schollers touching the Grammatical construction of a word used in a Conveyance, they afterwards notwithstanding did waive the Grammatical construction, and adjudged the word to signifie in Law according to the Common received sense of the word, and according to this he vouched 11. H. 8. where the word *uterque* received the like construction: also he vouched the 20. Eliz. Dyer fol. 252. where it is admitted, that the word *modo* is to be taken in the present Tense, and to this purpose he also vouched Billings Case in 38. H. 6. and Bozons Case Co. lib. 4. and then he concluded that in asmuch as the special verdict had definitively found no consideration, but generally for the consideration a-bove expressed, he held that the second Patent was good, for a Patent cannot be void, because there is no consideration to move the King to grant, but a Patent may be void as is pretended for a false consideration, which is not in this case, and therefore &c. Fourthly, admitting that the consideration in this Case was for an actual surrender before made, and that in this case no such actual surrender was before made, yet he held that in this Case the second lease is good: notwithstanding the false consideration, for it appears by 37. H. 8. Brook title patents 100. that a Patent shall never be void for a false consideration, but by reason of a false surmise it may; but he confessed this difference was generally denied, because a Patent shall be void by reason of a false consideration, but he said that the differences were infinite also upon this ground, for some take a difference where a consideration is real, and where it is personal, and they hold that a real consideration being false shall not avoid the grant, but otherwise of a personal, and so they take the Book of 37. H. 8. before cited to be good Law; and upon this difference others also have taken a difference where the consideration is to come to the King himself, and where it is to come to a stranger: others also have taken a difference where the consideration is of a thing valuable, and where it is not of value, yet they take a difference where that is past and executed, and where it is to come or Executorie; but he said that although divers of these differences seemed to be good with great reasons, and were backed with some Authorities, yet he needed not to take advantage of any of them for the maintenance of this Case, and for that he took this general difference for the maintenance of this Patent, viz. that if the consideration be such which brings a benefit or commoditie to the King, and this is false, that this avoids the grant; but if it bring no commoditie to the King, although it be false, yet the grant is good, and to prove this diversitie, he cited Harris and Wings Case to be adjudged in Banco Regis, and Barwicks Case Cook lib. 5. and Sir Hugh Cholmleys Case Cook lib. 2. to be adjudged accordingly of a false recital, and he said, although it be admitted that the consideration which the King intended to have was an actual surrender, yet in asmuch as this cannot be intended a thing more to his advantage, then a surrender in Law, the which plainly appears to be in this case, that the Patent is good, and for that he held that the second lease shall not be avoided for such a fallacie, and also he said that

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this Case is more strong of his side then any Case which may be cited, inasmuch as the King had no discommoditie or loss by the falsitie of the consideration, but in this Case also he should be at a loss if the second lease were not good, for the second lease referbeth a greater rent to the King, then was referred by the first, and therefore it is for his benefit, that the Law should allow of the second lease, to the intent it may make a surrender of the former lease, for the Kings advantage, and if the King granteth probis hominibus de O. rendring rent they are by this grant impliedly made a corporation for the benefit of the King to render him the rent, whereas otherwise the grant would be void; and so he took it in the principal case although the grant should be void, by reason of the false consideration, yet it should be good to this purpose for the Kings benefit: and after Termino Mich. Anno Sexto Jacobi Regis this Case was argued again, and Nicholas Serjeant for the Defendant said, that the sole point of the Case is, if the consideration of the lease made in 27. Eliz. be good or not, and this is exprest to be Tam in consideratione sursum redditionis pradiet. quam pro aliis Causis, et Considerationibus &c. then it is to be considered if here be such a surrender as is meant to be within the intent of the Consideration of the Queen, and he said that in this Case here was a good surrender in law clearly by the Book of 37. H. 6. for in all Cases where a Tenant for years accepts a lease of him in Reversion as here the Lord Seymor did, then this is a surrender in Law of his first interest, but the Earl of Salisbury Lord Treasurer said, that this is not properly a surrender of this Ancient Term, but an extinguishment thereof, to which the Lord chief Baron Tanfield agreed: and Serjeant Nichols further said, that the Consideration which moved the Queen to her grant was only the sufficient surrendring of the precedent estate of the Lord Seymor, and not the restoring of the letters Patents, and therefore although it be admitted, that here was not a sufficient restoring of the letters Patents, nor an actual surrender by this means, yet here is an effectual surrender by the operation of Law, and then this being the sole Consideration which moved the Queen to her grant, the not sufficient restoring of the letters Patents is not material, for he said, it seemed to him that in rei veritate the particular estate cannot be sufficiently surrendered by this bare giving up of the letters Patents by the Tenant for life, as it appears by Walshes Case cited in Altonwoods Case Cook lib. 1. and therefore he insisted not upon that. Secondly, he argued that a recital in the Kings Patents of a thing material if it be false, and come by information of the partie is all one as a false Consideration and not otherwise: and he said that it appears by Brook tit. Patents pla. 100. that all Considerations valuable, although they are false do not avoid a Patent, as where the King grants lands prodecem libris sibi solutis, although that in fact this is false, yet the grant is good: also it appears by 26. H. 8. and Sir Thomas Wrothes Case, and by 21. E. 4 fol. 48. that a consideration executed avoideth not a grant although it be false, but he said that it appears by the Case of 18. Eliz. Dyer 352. that if the King make a lease in Consideration of a surrender of a precedent lease which in truth was void, by some that the King may avoid the lease, but others contrary, because it was not done upon the suggestion of the partie, but for a consideration executed, and the surrender of the estate precedent was the material cause and consideration of the grant: and he said, that although in this Case there be not a good surrender of the letters Patents, yet the Consideration being only the surrendring of the estate, that is not material, for as it is said in Altonwoods Case Cook lib. 1. if the King in Consideration only of the surrender of precedent Patents makes a grant, in this Case there needs no averment of an estate, for the surrender is not material of the letters Patents. Also it appears Cholmleys Case Cook lib. 2. that if the King recite an estate to be made with Condition, although that at the same time of the recital this is not Conditional, yet if once this were Conditional the King is not deceived, although the condition be now released, and he cited also the Lord Chandos Case Cook lib. 6. where it appears that

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if the King recite a thing untruly which cometh not of the information of the partie, this shall not hurt the Grant, except it be part of the consideration, and he said, that Harris and Wings Case differs from this Case, for there the King had a Tenant who held a Tenement by the yearly rent of six pounds, and another Tenement of him by the yearly rent of nineteen pounds, and he made a new lease of both those to the said Tenant, without any recital of the former leases reserving but Nineteen pounds for both, and there it was adjudged, that the second lease was not good, but he said, that the reason of that judgement was, not because the ancient lease was not recited, but by reason that a loss in the rent came to the King, and so by intentment he was deceived, and this was also upon the matter the reason of the resolution of Barwicks Case, and also in Mack-Williams Case, for there was not a surrender of the estate as the King intended, which ought to be, but in our Case the estate is well surrendered clearly, and he thought that these words (modo habens) may well stand with the Kings intent aswell to a surrender in Law, as to an actual surrender. The Attorney generall to the contrary. First for the recital, that the information of the partie was, that the King should have an actual surrender, and so was the Kings intent collected upon the information of the partie. Secondly, that here is not any actual surrender. Thirdly, that by consequence it followeth that the Queen is deceived. Fourthly, here is no surrender in Law in this Case. Fifthly, although here were a surrender in Law, yet that is not sufficient to make the grant good: to the first point he said, that alwayes a familiar construction ought to be made of the Kings grants, and therefore if the King grant all his portion of Tithes in D. this doth not pass his Parsonage in D. although he had noother Tithes there; so if the King grant all his Tithable lands within the Mannor of B. although the lands of Coppibolders are parcel of the demesnes of the Mannor of B. yet these lands in such Case do not pass, Cook. lib. 1. Bozuns Case, and Cook lib. 1. Altonwoods Case fo. 46. a so it appears by the pleading in Plowden in Wrothesleys case, and in Adams case, and also in Fulmerstons case; that although the ancient particular estate be gone in Law by the acceptance of a new estate, yet it ought not to be pleaded as a surrender, and therefore it shall not be construed that the King intended such a surrender, which pleaders in their pleading do not accompt a surrender: also he said, that in regard that the Queen saith, quam quidem sursum redditionem acceptamus it seems by that, that she did not intend a surrender in Law, and therefore accepted nothing, but gave an estate &c. and must be meant such a surrender, to which she is partie by her acceptance: also where the words are, modo habens et gaudens, and therefore it is inferred that the Queen intended an estate continuing in the Patentee this is true, for although that the Queen intended an actual surrender precedent to be made by the Patentee, yet his estate continues against the Queen untill an acceptance of a surrender by her, although also this may be called a surrender like unto a surrender of a benefice, untill an acceptance by the ordinary: also although it was found that the Queen made a new lease of letters Patents of the said Land to the said Lord Seymor, yet it appears not that the new letters Patents were accepted by the Lord Seymor untill a moneth after the making of them when he made a lease to Johnson, and untill that time without question there was no surrender either in fact, or in Law; and where it hath been objected that these words (modo habens) imple only the present time, he said that the word modo will alwayes signifie such a time as the Verb with which it is joynd will signifie, and therefore Cicero saith, modo hoc malum in hanc Rempublicam invasit: also the words Jam et nunc, are of such signification as this word modo is: and these words are alwayes governed by the Verb, as Jam venie &c. so in the Bible the story of Naaman and Gebeley, Jam modo venerunt duo, behold two young men are come to me &c. and as to the second point it is clear, that here is not any actual surrender, for the King cannot take by an actual surrender without matter of Record. And therefore it was

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was holden in the Lord Stanleys Case, that the King took nothing although his officers, by his command did seise a mans lands into their hands for the Kings use : also he said, that this appears by the 11. E. 4. and 2. Eliz. Dyer, if a man comes and saith, that he surrenders his office, and a Memorandum is recored thereof, but the Patent is not delivered up, it seems this is not sufficient to make a surrender, so on the other side, if the Patentee make a deed purporting asmuch : yet it appeareth by 19. of Eliz. Dyer, if the deed be not inrolled it is a good surrender, and he agreed to that which hath been objected against him, that although that the Jury did not finde in what Court the restoring of the Patent was, yet it ought to be intended to be made in Chancery, but he said that the Jury did not finde any time when the surrender was made, and that is a thing material to be found as it appears in Kemps Case, and Mack Williams Case before. Thirdly, an actual surrender being in the King, new letters Patents urged to be made shall be intended to be part of the consideration which moved the King to a new grant, and he bound 18. Eliz. Dyer 352. where a lease was recited which needed not, and in fact, the said lease was a void lease in Law. And therefore the new lease made was also void à fortiori here where an actual surrender is recited to be made. Fourthly, he said, that the sole reason in Harris and Wings case was, that the first lease ought to have been recited, for if the King makes a lease, and after makes another lease of the same land to the same lessee, the first lease is in being at the time of the acceptance of the new lease, as appears by Fulmerstons case in Plowden, and therefore if in such case there be not a good recital of the lease in being, the second lease is not good, and so the acceptance of it makes no surrender of the former lease, and he said that the recital of the Queen in the principal Case is a shewing of a former lease destroyed, and not in being, and then no actual surrender being made, the said former lease contrary to this recital is in being still, and so the recital is false, and consequently the second lease is a void lease, and so this worketh no surrender in Law of the old lease, and so he concluded the fourth point, that here is no surrender in Law, and he held that if there had been a good surrender in Law, yet this had not made the Patent good, and where it was objected, that a consideration executed though valuable being false avoyds not a Patent, he said it appears in 6. Ed. 2. tit. pardon Brook 79. that a consideration of service in the Kings Patent ought to be alledged to have been performed, nevertheless it appears in Sir Thomas Worths case in Plowden, that such a particular service being alledged in the Patent to be executed needs not an averment that it was performed, for the Patent is good although such consideration be false ; but he said, that in this Case the precedent surrender is the material consideration, and therefore there ought not to be any material variance in the form of the consideration, and so is the difference betwixt this Case, and Worths Case, and therefore if the King make a grant to A. in consideration, that he had released by deed inrolled, and he had released by fine, here is a failing of the consideration, that he had released by deed inrolled, when as he had released by fine, and so the grant is void, and he said that as it appears by the judgement given in Welshes Case cited in Altonwoods Case, that no equitie ought to be observed in the Kings grant against his express words, so here no equitie ought to be observed against the King, otherwise then his plain words import, and therefore here his words import and intend an actual surrender precedent, which ought not to be satisfied with a surrender subsequent : and after upon the motion of the Earl of Salisbury Lord Treasurer of England, this Case was referred to the Lord Privy Seal, and the Lord of Worcester, who awarded to Sir Robert Johnson 200. l. per annum during his life, and the life of his wife for all his interest ; but the Earl of Salisbury Lord Treasurer seemed that the matter in Law was against Sir Robert Johnson, although that equitie was for him, to which opinion Tanfield chief Baron also inclined, in regard there was not here any surrender in the Case, but an extinguishment only.

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IT was moved by one, whether the Kings Patentee of Pirats goods, seising some goods of Pirats should pay custome for them or not, and it was holden by the Barons, that he should pay none, for in asmuch as they are goods given by Law unto the King, no reason that he should have custome for his own goods.

The Case of Queens Colledge in
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UPON a special verdict the Jury found, that Queens Colledge in Oxford was incorporated by the name of Provost and Schollers of the Hall of the Queens Colledge of Oxford, and they were seised in fee of an advowson whereof the place is parcel, the Church being void, the Provost and Schollers aforesaid did by the name of Provost of Queens Colledge in the Universitie of Oxford, and the fellows and Schollers of the same present one A. to the same advowance, who after admission &c. made a lease for years, yet to come to the Defendant, which was confirmed by the Patron and Ordinary, and that afterwards A. died, and the Plaintiff was presented admitted, instituted, and inducted, and the Defendant entering claiming his lease, the Plaintiff had brought this Action. Harris Junior Serjeant for the Plaintiff seemed, that the presentation of the lessor of the Defendant was not by the true name of the Patrons, and so the lease void, and therefore the Defendant a Trespasser as to the Plaintiff, and he said, that the name of a Corporation is not like to a mans surname which groweth by nature, but is like to a name of Baptisme which groweth by pollicie, and therefore ought to be truly observed in their grants and presentations, as appears by 35. H. 6. fo. 5. and it is there said, if a man be baptized by the name of Posthumus, if this addition of Posthumus be omitted, this abates the writ, but yet he agreed that variance of the name of a Corporation in some manner of Surplusage hindreth not, as in Plowden Crofts and Howels Case, and it was in Fisher and Boys Case ruled, that Custos for gardianus was not any material variance, but he said, that in Mich. 29. & 30. Eliz. in Banco Regis in Merton Colledge Case, where the title was, that the said Colledge was incorporated by the name of the Colledge of Schollers of the house of Merton Colledge, and in a lease by them this word Schollers was omitted, and holden void, for that cause, and so it was betwixt one Wingate and Hall, the Dean and Canons of Windsor 22. E. 4. were incorporated by the name of Dean and Canons of the Kings free Chappell of St. George the Martyr within his Castle of Windsor, adjudged the variance (of the Kings and Queens free Chappell) was material although the lease was made in the time of Philip and Marie. And he vouched also 44. E. 3. fo. 3. and 38. E. 3. fo. 28. and he said, that it seemed to him, that this presentation by another name had gained an usurpation by the Provost in his natural capacite: also it seemeth that notwithstanding it is not found, that Doctor Airie was presented, instituted, and inducted; yet the special verdict is good enough to have judgement of his part, but he agreed, that if the truth of the Case had been discovered by the pleading, then it ought to be precisely shewed, that such exact finding is not necessary in a special verdict, as in pleading, and he vouched Allens Case 33. Eliz. Banco Regis where the Jury found, that Tenant for life made a lease for years, and found not the lessor living nor dead, and yet in this Case he was intended living. and he cited also Haydons Case Cook lib. 3. and Hunts Case 5. Ma. Dyer 153. and he voucht the Case of West against Munson in a writ of error in the Kings Bench,

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Bench, wherein the first action being an *Assise* in the Common Pleas, it was alledged for error that the Jury did not finde the Plaintiff was disseised, but only the Defendant disseised him, and yet the judgement was affirmed: Dodderidge the Kings Serjeant for the Defendant, he agreed that the name of a Corporation is essential to be alwayes used in their grants, for thereby they are distinguished from other Corporations, but he conceived that in this Case here is a sufficient supplying of that part of the name which is omitted, and he said that although the special verdict in one place mentions the name of *Queens Colledge*, yet when they nominate the Corporation, it calls them the *Provost* and *Scholars* of the Hall omitting the words (*Queens Colledge*) and then they finde that the *Provost* and *Scholars* by the name of &c. and he said, that in so much the Jury found precisely that the same Corporation made the demise, it is not material by what name they made it, and therefore he said that if a Jury finde, that I. S. had made a feofment by the name of R. S. this is good enough, as it was holden in *Shorbolts Case* 10. & 11. *Eliz.* and so in 13. E. 2. *fitz. tit. Bastardy* pl. 25. a Jury found that two daughters were heirs, and that the Defendant was born in espousals, a nonsuit, and so 20. *Eliz* Dyer 361. the Jury found that *Executors* received rents incident to the reversion, and so assets in their hands, and he cited also Dyer 372. to the second matter he thought that the omitting of the name precisely of *Doctor Airie* made the special verdict vicious, and will inveigle the Judges, so that they cannot give Judgement, for it may be that *Doctor Airie* was presented by the same name of Corporation as the other presenter was, for he said in truth the Case was so: also the special verdict is vicious, because they found not any time of the Presentation of *Doctor Airie*, for peradventure he was presented by the said Colledge, when he was *Provost* thereof, and then his presentation is not good, by 22 E. 4. and to this purpose he cited *Heckers case* in 12. H. 8. and one *Fuljambes case* in 6. E. 6. in *Bendlows*, and then admitting that *Doctor Airie* should be intended an usurper if he shall avoid this lease: it was also moved, that if a Corporation by a false name present, and admission, institution, and induction is made by a true name, if this make a *plenartie*: and *Boswel and Greens case* Cook lib. 6. was cited: See more after fol.

The Maïor of Lincolns Case.
Huddleston and Hills case.

In an Attachment against the Maïor of Lincoln, and the Steward of the Courte there being Colshil, it was said, that if a writ of error be directed to an inferior Court, they ought to execute it in all things although that their fee be not paid, nor tendered to them, and Mr. Man Secondarie to Roper said, that the fee which is demanded by them ought to be indorsed upon the return of the writ of error, so that the Judges may judge of it if it be reasonable, and others presidents warrant that accordingly.

Huddleston and Hill against *Bows*, an *Elegit* upon a judgement issued at the suit of *Hill*, and after *Hill* died, and his eldest son sued a *scire facias* upon the said judgement, and holden that it lieth not.

If a man sue in the Ecclesiastical Court for *Tithes* of *Headlands*, the Defendant may have a *Prohibition*, but by some he ought to suggest that they are but small *Headlands*, and that there is a custome of discharge in consideration that he paid *Tithes* in kinde of *Headows*, and in this case *Williams* said, that if a man keep sheep in one Parish until *Shearing* time, and then sell them into another Parish, in this Case the *Tender* shall pay the *Tithe* wool to the Parish where they were

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In a Prohibition the Plaintiff saith, that ——— was seised of the Manors of Calthrop, and also of the Rectory of Haughton Calthrop, and that the land whereof the tithe is demanded is Coppibold, and holden of the said Manors, and that this was also found by special verdict accordingly, and that it had been always discharged of payment of Tithes, and it was argued, that the Prohibition did lie, for it was adjudged Mich 34. & 35. Eliz. that a perpetual union of the Parsonage, and the land charged is a sufficient discharge of the Tithes, and a prescription may be well enough to be discharged of the payment of Tithes, as it appears by a Case put in the Arch-Bishop of Canterburies Case: Cook lib. 2. George Crook of Counsel on the other side, and he conceived that a perpetual unite was no perpetual discharge, and he said there was no judgement given in the Case cited before, and he also said, that the Jury in this Case found not a discharge of payment of Tithes, but only a new usage to pay by unite of possession, and he cited 10. H. 7. or 6. where the manner of Tithing is set down; also he cited the Bishop of Winchesters Case Cook lib. 2. and he cited the Priors of D. Case to be resolved in 40. Eliz. that a Coppibolder may prescribe to be discharged of Tithes by pleading that he was always Tenant by Copie to a spiritual Corporation: also he cited the Case of Pigot and Hern mentioned in Cook lib. 2. in the Bishop of Wintons Case fol. 45. and he said, that it was adjudged in Sheddingtons Case, that if a man prescribes to be discharged of payment of Tithes by reason of payment of another kinde of Tithe, that this is not good.

Marie Reps against Babham.

Marie Reps by her Guardian was Plaintiff against Babham in an action of Trespass, the Case was, that a feoffment was made to the use of husband and wife for their lives, and after to the heirs of the body of the wife begotten by the husband; and if this was an estate tail general in the wife, or an estate in special tail to the husband it was demurred: Richardson argued that it was a general estate tail in the wife, and that the husband had but for life, and he vouched 11. E. 3. Fitz. tit. Formedon in proof thereof: Henry Yelverton thought it was an estate tail in both, and he said, that the Case in the 11. E. 3. is not like to this Case, for there the Priors cannot take but as Tenant in Common, and he vouched of his part 17. E. 2. title ——— where the inheritance is limited no more to the body of the one then of the other, there is an estate tail in both out of which Littleton took his Case; and Fitz. nat. Brevium fol. 193. G. where he puts the very Case in effect 41. E. 3. fol. 24. 3. E. 3. fo. 90. Rips Case 21. E. 3. fo. 41. 4. E. 3. fo. 145. and 15. Eliz. in the Common Pleas was, that a gift was made to husband and wife, and to the heirs of the bodie of the husband, of the body of the wife begotten; and this was holden an estate tail in both, if the word husband followeth immediately, the word here it is an estate tail in that person only, but if the word (which) be interpreted it altereth, but the word (or) interposed maketh no difference, no more then if the word husband had immediately followed 19. H. 6. 75d

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Richards against Williams.

IN an action of Trover and conversion, betwixt Richards and Williams for two loads of Barley, the Defendant saith, that the Dean, Arch-Deacon, president, and Chapter of Landaffe was seised of a Personage in fee, and by the said name had leased unto the Defendant, to which the Plaintiff replied, that the Arch-Deacon and Chapter of Landaffe were seised in fee, and leased unto him without that, that there was any Corporation as Dean, Arch-Deacon, president, and Chapter, whereupon the Defendant demurred: George Crook argued, that the Replication is good, and he made two points. First, that here is a good inducement to a Traverse. Secondly, that there ought to be a Traverse in the Case: to the first he said, that if the Defendant incite himself by one name, and the Plaintiff by another name, here is a good inducement for a Traverse, and he cited Croft and Howels Case in Plowden, where the Cooks were incorporated: by E. 4. by the name of Haller and Gobernours; and they made a lease of lands by the name of Haller and Wardens, and this was holden a void lease, and he vouched to this purpose also 21. E. 4. fol. 56. where a Corporation was of Dean and Vicars, and a lease was made by them by the name of Dean and Priests, and 30. Eliz. in the Kings Bench, and Windgate Hals Case, and Eaton Colledge Case in 3. & 4. Ma. Dyer 150. 2. that in this Case the Plaintiff ought to take a Traverse, and he cited 44. Assise pl. 9. & 44. E. 3. fo. 26. where one pleaded, that the Prior of the Hospital of St. gc. and the others said that the Prior of the house &c. and an averment was made, that it was known by the one name and by the other, or otherwise the plea had not been good without a Traverse: also he cited the Case of Raunce, and the Dean and Chapter of Chichesters Case in the Kings Bench, where Raunce took such an averment, or otherwise he ought to have taken a Traverse, and he cited the Lord Barleys Case in Plowden, and 5. H. 7. and he said, that the Plaintiff by his Replication allegeded other matter in fact then the Defendant did, and therefore there ought to be a Traverse 12. E. 4. also if a man brings an action by the name of Gardian, and the other saith he is Prior, this is not good without a Traverse that he is not Gardian, 4. E. 4. fo. 6. 32. H. 6. fo. 4. 38. E. 3. fo. 34. an accompt supposing the Defendant one of the company of M. and it is there said, that the Defendant not being sued in the action, as one of the company, but this is only used for an addition, therefore there ought to be no Traverse: and after this argument Tanfield chief Baron said, that the argument now made touched not the point in this Replication, for the point is not if there needeth a Traverse in the cause, but what thing is Traversable therein, videlicet, what is the principal matter allegeded for the Defendant, and therefore he put this Case, Prior and Covent of D. claim an Annuity by prescription, the Defendant saith, that within time of memory they were incorporated by the name of &c. in regard that it is within time of memory, Quere what thing is Traversable here, that is to say, what thing is the principal matter: and after at another day Walker to the contrary; and first he said, that it is not allegeded in fact by the Defendant, but by implication. That there was any such corporation as Dean &c. and that which is allegeded, but by implication ought never to be Traversed, and he vouched Dyer 365. & 27. H. 8. 27. The alleging that the Dean &c. is but matter of inducement to the Plea in Bar, and therefore is not Traversable, for the lease supposed to be made by them is the matter of substance, and he vouched a Case between Richardson and Sir George Heart 31. Eliz. to be, where in an action against the Sheriff, for suffering another to escape who was in Execution at the Plaintiffs suit, and the Sheriff said, that he never arrested him, and he vouched also 10. H. 6. fo. 13. thirdly, he said, that

that the Plaintiff doth not Traverſe in the ſame manner as is alledged by the Defendant, and therefore the Traverſe is not good, and he vouched 27. H. 8. fo. 26. where in Treſpaſs the Defendant ſaith, that I. S. is ſeiſed in fee &c. the Plaintiff ſaith, that his father was ſeiſed in fee, without that that he had, any thing, this is no good Traverſe, and Thompſon thought it no good Traverſe; it is alledged in fact for the Defendant, that ſuch a Corporation made a leaſe, therefore there was ſuch a Corporation, and he ſaid that a man may Traverſe by a Negative præſerter, or by a Negative prægnant 9. H. 7. & 27. H. 6. where a Treſpaſs was brought by I. and G. his wife, the Defendant ſaid, there is no ſuch G. his wife, and this is good: and ſo in 40. E. 3. fo. 36. & 37. 11. H. 4. fo. 10. 45. E. 3. fo. 6. in a quare impedit præſentare to the Church of D. the Defendant ſaith, that there is no ſuch Church, 22. E. 4. fo. 34. an action was brought againſt I. S. Mayor of D. and he Traverſed that there is no ſuch Corporation; Tanfield chief Baron ſaid, that if in an action of Treſpaſs the Defendant ſaith, that I. S. was ſeiſed in fee, and infeoffed him without that &c. and the Plaintiff ſaith, that I. S. was ſeiſed in fee, and infeoffed me without that, that there was any ſuch perſon as I. S. in being, this is no good Traverſe: Hern Baron ſeemed that this Traverſe is good in the principal Caſe, but he was once of Counſel with the Plaintiff; and it was moved that the Caſe ſhould be Compounded.

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In an Information againſt Page, and another upon the Statute of 3. & 4. E. 6. cap. 21. for buying of Butter, and ſelling of the ſame by retail contrary to the form of the Statute, upon not guiltie pleaded, the Jury found one of them only guiltie both of buying and ſelling, and the other not guiltie: and it was moved, that no judgement may be given in this Caſe, in aſmuch as the action is conceived upon a joynt buying by two: and it appeareth that this is but by one, but it was argued, that judgement ought to be given, for it cannot be intended in Law, as to this purpoſe a joynt buying, for the wrong is ſeveral, and in proof thereof was cited 36. H. 6. fo. 27. the 11. H. 4. Dyer fo. 194. or 195. accordingly; alſo this action is for a wrong done to the Common-wealth, which is a ſeveral wrong by either; and to this purpoſe was cited 40. E. 3. fo. 35. & 36. H. 6. cited before, and 5. H. 5. fo. 3. where an action de malefactoribus in Parciſ was brought againſt three, and one only was found guiltie, and judgement was given againſt him, and there is no difference as to this purpoſe between this Caſe, and an action of debt upon a joynt contract made by two, as appeareth by 21. H. 7. and Partridges Caſe in Plowden, where it is ſaid, that the bargaining is but matter of conſequence to the action, and according unto this was cited 33. H. 8. Brook ric. iſſue: and alſo 28. H. 6. fo. 7. and 36. H. 6. fo. 29. and a Caſe was adjudged in Mich. 35. & 36. Eliz. in the Kings Bench, which proves the ſame alſo: where an information was brought ſuppoſing the Defendant to have bought Cattle of two, contrary to the form of the Statute, and it was found that he bought them but of one, and yet judgement was given: Hitchcock to the contrary. and he argued, that no judgement ought to be given, for he ſaid, that if an information be brought againſt two upon the Statute of uſure, and one only is found guiltie, yet no judgement may be given in this Caſe, to which the Court agreed: and he cited Dyer 160. 5. Ma. where two ſued in the Court of Admiralty one, for an offence triable within the bodie of the Countie, contrary to the Statutes of 13. & 15. of R. 2. and an action was brought againſt one of them only, and good, and he vouched alſo 22. Eliz. Dyer fo. 370. 2. R. 3. fo. 18. where three brought an account againſt one, he pleads he was never their receiver, and the Jury found &c. and he cited a caſe to this purpoſe, an information was brought againſt two for buying of Cattle of one B. and for ſelling of them contrary to the form of the

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Statute, and in this Case the Jury found the Defendant not guiltie for the buying them of B. but that he bought them of one P. and upon an attainr of the Jury the opinion of the Court was in this case, that though the verdict was affirmed, yet no judgement ought to be given thereupon, and this was the true Case of Lidwood and Pearpoint cited before on the other side, as George Crook said.

Tork and Allein.

A Man recovered damages in an action upon the Case against B. who at the time of the judgement was joyntly seised in fee with C. and that after B. and C. aliened, the partie who recovered is outlawed, the King eight years after this outlawry extends the moitie of this land for these damages recovered against B. and it was moved, if he shall have them in extent for them, or not, also if he shall have it without a scire facias; and the Barons were clear in opinion that he shall have it in extent, for it was liable to the extent of the partie outlawed before the Alienation, and then when it comes to the King by the outlawry, although it be after the Alienation, it continueth extendible for the King, although the Alienation was before the outlawry.

It was admitted by all the Barons, that if a Coppilholder surrender to the use of a younger son, and dies, that this younger son cannot bring an action until admittance, but if the Copihold had descended to the heir, he may have an action before admittance: see Cook Coppilhold Cases lib. 4. fol. 22. and also it was said, that all Coppilholders of the Kings Mannors may now have admittance into their Coppilhold estates well enough, and the order for the stay of their admittances which was made heretofore is now dissolved and quashed.

Dennis against Drake.

Debt was brought by Dennis against Drake Sheriff for an escape, a man had judgement in the Kings Bench, and a writ of error was brought within the year, and after the year passed the judgement was affirmed in the Exchequer Chamber, and within a year after the affirmation a Capias issued to the said Drake the Sheriff, who took the partie and suffered him to escape, and this being the Case upon the declaration in this action the Defendant demurred, and all the Barons said, that there is no question but a Capias may well issue within the year after judgement affirmed without a scire facias, though it be more then a year after the first judgement, and it seemed to them, that there was no difference, though that the writ of error was not brought untill after the year of the first judgement given, although in such case there be an apparant neglect in the partie, who had not sued his execution within the year, and therefore he was enforced to a scire facias thorough his neglect, whereas if error had been brought within the year, he had never been driven to his scire facias in this Case, yet for asmuch as when the judgement is affirmed, this is all one as a new judgement, they conceived it made no difference, and Tanfield chief Baron said, that it had been often so judged in the Kings Bench.

It was said here, that if a man be instituted to a benefice he ought to pay the first fruits before induction by the Statute, but by the Common Law it was otherwise, for he is not to have the temporalities until induction, and therefore he could not pay the first fruits, but another person cannot be presented to this benefice during the continuance of the first institution, see Cook lib. 4. in Digbies Case fol. 79. that the institution to a second benefice is a present avoidance of the first.

Saint Saviours in Southwark in an
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IN an Information of intrusion against A. and B. the Defendants claim and justify by force of a lease made unto them by the Queen of the Rectory of Saint Saviours in Southwark in the year 33. Eliz. and the truth of the Case was, that the Church-wardens of the Church of Saint Saviours, and their successors were incorporated by letters Patents, in which Patents, it was contained that the Parishioners of the greater number of them, every year should elect two Church-wardens, and that the said Church-wardens and their successors are a Corporation capable to take, purchase, and sell, and after the said Charter so made in regard of the great number of the Parishioners of the said Parish, the Bishop of the Diocese made an order, that the Parishioners should appoint a certain number of the said Parish to be called Vestrie men, the which Vestrie men, should have the election of the Church-wardens from time to time, for and in the name of the whole Parish, and after it was used, that the said Vestrie men elected the Church-wardens accordingly for a long time, and that A. and B. being so elected the Queen Anno 33. Eliz. made a lease to them for years by the name of A. and B. Church-wardens of the Parish of Saint Saviours &c. and their successors rendering rent, and this appearing to be the Case upon evidence to the jury; the Barons moved two points. First, if the election made by the Vestrie men were a good election to make them a Corporation capable to purchase within the intent of the Kings Charter, in so much that saith, that they shall be elected by the greater number of the Parishioners, and here but a small number that is the Vestrie elected them; and as to that it seems by the Barons, that in regard it was not given in evidence that others of the Parish to a great number did withstand, or gain-say the said election or nomination, it being made at a day usual and place certain, and therefore all the Parishioners by intendment were knowing of it, or might by intendment of Law have been present at the said election, it being in an open place where every Parishioner might make resort, and did not, therefore it was held that this election was as good as if all the Parishioners had met and elected them, for it were hard in Law, if the election by these that are present should not be good when the residue are wilfully absent, and therefore Tanfield chief Baron cited a Case, where the King did grant that the Parishioners of Wallingford should be a corporation to bargain and sell, and that the greater number of the Parishioners there did make leases and estates, and there was an usage, that at the time of meeting for the making of any such leases by them, they did use to ring a bell, by the which notice was intended to be given of the assembly: and that after such Bell rung 20. of the Parishioners then present did make a lease, there being 100. others in the Parish not present, and yet this was adjudged in the Court 35. Eliz. to be a good lease, and he said, that if there be a day and place by usage certain for their meeting, in such case there needeth no warning; and therefore in the principal case, the election was good, but as for any order made by the Bishop that had been of no force to this purpose. Secondly, it was moved, that although this were not good to make them Church-wardens within the intent of the Kings Charter of Corporations, yet that this lease made by the King, should amount to make them a Corporation, and to a lease unto them also, that being by intendment for the benefit of the King, inasmuch as a rent is reserved; like as when the King makes a lease, to the honest men of Ilington rendering rent, but unto this Tanfield the chief Baron said, that he held, that this lease should not make a corporation where the King conceived, that there was no corporation before, but that

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that the King should rather be said to be deceived, for he took a difference where there is a reputed Corporation in being and where there is not, and thereupon the Barons directed the Jury to give a general verdict.

In this case it was agreed by the Barons, that if the King make a lease for years to A. and after he makes a lease of the same land to A. for more years, this second lease is merely void, and therefore the acceptance of it shall not cause a surrender of the other lease, and they said, that it was holden accordingly in Harris, and Wings Case; see Plowden, Fulmerston and Stewards Case, in which case the second lease was once good, although it was void after by relation.

It was held for Law, that if a man do make a feoffment to A. to the use of B. for the life of C. and that if B. and C. die, then the remainder over, this is a Contingent remainder by Borastons Case in Cook lib. 3. and also by Colthirsts Case in Plowden.

It was also held, that if a man doth in consideration, that his son shall marry the daughter of B. covenant to stand seised to the use of his son, for life, and after to the use of other his sons, in reversion or remainder, these uses thus limited in remainder, are fraudulent against a purchaser, though the first be upon good consideration, viz. for marriage, also it was holden, though the consideration of marriage be a good consideration, yet if a power of revocation be annexed to it, it is void as unto strangers.

By Standon and Bullocks Case cited in Twins Case Cook lib. 3. if a man reserved a power of revocation by assent of a stranger, this is fraudulent, but if there be a consideration to be paid before the revocation it is otherwise.

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AN Information was exhibited against Bates a Merchant of the Levant, and it was recited, that the King by his letters Patents under the great Seal had commanded his Treasurer, that he command the customers, and receivers, that they should ask and receive of every Merchant denizen, who brings within any Port within his dominions, any Currants five shillings a hundred, for impost above two shillings and six pence, which was the Poundage by the Statute of every hundred, and it was alledged; that Bates had notice thereof, and that he had brought in Currants into the Port of London, and refused to pay the said 5. s. in contempt of the King, whereunto Bates came, and said, that he is an English Merchant, and an venturer and a denizen, and that he made a voyage to Venice, and there bought Currants, and imported them into England, and he recited the Statute of the first of King James cap. 33. which grants 2. s. 6. d. for Poundage, and he said, that he had paid that, and therefore he had refused to pay the 5. s. because it was imposed unjustly, and unduly against the Lawes of the land, whereupon the Kings Attorney demurred in Law; this matter had been divers times argued at the Bar, and at the Bench, by Snig, and Savil, Barons, and now by Clark and Flemming chief Baron whose arguments I only heard, and Clark, who argued first this day said, that this Case being of so great consequence great respect, and consideration is to be had, and it seemeth to me strange, that any Subjectes would contend with the King, in this high point of Prerogative; but such is the Kings grace, that he had shewed his intent to be, that this matter shall be disputed and adjudged by us according to the ancient Law and customs of the Realm, and because that the judgement of this matter cannot be well directed by any learning delivered in our Books of Law, the best directions herein are precedents of antiquitie, and the course of this Court, wherein all actions of this nature

nature are to be judged, and the Acts of Parliament recited in arguments of this Mich. 4.
Case prove nothing to this purpose, the best case in Law, is the Case of Pines in Jac. in the
Apr. Plowden Com. where this ground is put, that the precedents of every Exche-
Court, ought to be a direction to that Court, to judge of matters which are ap- quer.
ly determinable therein, as in the Kings Bench for matters of the Crown, in the
Common Pleas for matters of inheritance and Civil contracts, and in the Exche-
quer for matters of the Kings Prerogative, his revenues, and government, and
as it is not a Kingdome without subjects and government, so he is not a King
without revenues, for without them he cannot preserve his dominions in peace,
he cannot maintain war, nor reward his servants, according to the State and ho-
nor of a King, and the revenue of the Crown is the very essential part of the
Crown, and he who rendeth that from the King pulleth also his Crown from his
head, for it cannot be separated from the Crown, and such great Prerogatives
of the Crown, (without which it cannot be) ought not to be disputed, and in
these cases of Prerogative the judgement shall not be, according to the rules of
the Common Law, but according to the Presidents of this Court wherein these
matters are disputable and determinable, as for Example, an action of accompt
lies not by the Common Law against him, who had the land of the accomptant
by mean conveyance, but if one be an accomptant to the King, and had land in
fee, and alien it unto A. who alien it unto B. B. by reason of this land shall be
charged with this accompt: in 14. E. 3. a Cozoner was elected by the Kings
Writ as he ought to be, by the Countie, and after he was amerced, and because
he was not sufficient to answer the Amercement the Countie was charged there-
with, and that appears of Record here, and in 30. E. 3. Rot. 6. as appears also
of Record, in this Court one William Porter was Magister monetar, and had
received Bullien of divers Merchants, and Coyne'd it in the Kings Mint, and
did not restore the Coyne to the Merchants, but was insufficient, and the King
paid the Merchants, and inquired of the suerties for the Coyne, and it was found
that he had none, then it was inquired who recommended him unto the King, and
it was found by whom he was recommended: and they who only recommended
him as friends, were charged with the Debt, and if one be outlawed in a perso-
nal action, and Debt is due to him upon a contract, this shall be forfeited to the
King, and this is ordinarie by the Presidents of this Court, and yet this seems
to be contrary to Law, and is against our Books, and the Kings Debtors shall
have a quo minus against Executors upon a simple contract, and therein he cannot
release, nor be non-suited, and I put these cases to prove, that the presidents of
this Court ought to be pursued and observed, although they seem to contradict the
Common Law, and the Books thereof: a case was here betwixt the King and
Jourden, Jourden was receiver, and sold his office to one D. and he not being
able to pay Jourden for his office at the day limited, it was agreed, that Jourden
should come to the next receipt, and when D. received the Kings money, that
Jourden should take it for his office, which was done accordingly, after D. was
indebted to the King, and this matter appearing as above &c. Jourden was char-
ged with the money which he had received, and as Stamford in his first cap. of
Prerogative saith, that the King is the most worthy part of a Common-wealth
so is he the preserver, nourisher, and defender of the people, and true it is, that
the weal of the King is the publick weal of the people, and he for his pleasure may
aforesee the word of any subject, and he thereby shall be subject to the Law of the
Forrest, and he may take the provision of any man by his Purchase, for his
own use but at reasonable prices, and without abuse, the abuse of which officer
hath been restrained by divers Statutes, and the King may take wines for his
provision, and all Timber for his Ships, Castles, or houses in the wood of
any man, and this is for publick benefit, and the King may assay, or enhance
Coyne at his pleasure, for the plenty of the King is the peoples peace, and these
imposts are not only for the benefit of the people, and for the Kings profit, but are
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also imposed many times for the increase of Merchandise, and Commerce, as the Statute of, Aulnageors made in the 2. E. 3. cap. 14. which was made principally to make cloathes more Vendible, and so Corporations are granted by the King with immunities and priviledges, and to seclude other subjects from them, are well limited and good, for it is for the increase of the peoples wealth, and thereby the Kings revenue is increased, and sometimes there is contained in grants a Prohibition to other subjects, that they usurp not upon the priviledges of such Corporations upon a pain, as in the custome of Forraign bought, and Forraign sold in London, and York, and divers customes are permitted to such Corporations, as in the Chamberlain of Londons Case, Cook 5. and the breach or violation of these customes is a decay of the Corporations, and so an impairing of the revenues of the Crown, and therefore the King may make them, and also give them priviledges, and make inhibitions to others, not to Usurp upon them: King Edward the third in the sixteenth year of his Reigne proclaimed, that no man should sell Wool-fels, or Leather under such a price, so that these Staple commodities might not be debased, and this at no place, but at Northampton and Anwick, and this proclamation was the cause wherefore the Merchant in 43. Assise 38. was punished for using the slight to abate the prices, and for presidents in this matter of Impost, there are many of antiquitie, and first for Wines in 16. E. 1. the custome for a Tun of Wine was 4. s. and in 21. and 24. E. 3. it was increased to ———— and 12. 13. & 14. of H. 8. it was increased to 17. s. the Tun, and after in the 4th. of Mary it was increased to 4. Marks, and as it appears by the Records of this Court, it was answered upon account, for all this time according to that rate, and it is apparant, that no act of Parliament gave this to the King, but that it was imposed by his absolute power, and shall it now be doubted if it be lawfull? God defend Hisage, that the King shall have one Hogs-head before the Mast, and another Hogs-head behinde, is not given to the King by any Statute, but was only an Impost by the Kings power, the Impost upon cloathes in 31. E. 1. was two shillings for a Scarlet, and 18. d. for other cloathes in Grain, and after in the 37th. year of E. 3. it was raised again and in the 37. E. 3. an Act was made for the length of cloathes, in the 33. H. 8. it was raised again, and in the time of Queen Mary, because that the making of so many cloathes made the Impost of Wooll to be of so small value, therefore the Impost of every cloath was raised by her to a noble, and in the first of Eliz. an Impost was imposed, for the overlengh of cloathes, and it appears in 30. E. 3. that the Impost of one Cloath was for a stranger 2. s. 8. d. and for a denizen 1. s. and all for cloathes: another Impost was for Woolfels, and Leather, the 31. E. 1. it was for Wooll half a Mark for a Sack, and after that to 10. s. and in the time of E. 3. to 20. s. and after to 40. s. and after to 3. l. and so of Woolfels and Leather, and as the benefit and price of commodities did rise, so was the Impost raised, and no Act of Parliament for the first imposing, and increase thereof, and so much for Woolfels and Leather. Now for allom, upon every hntal of allom was imposed 3. s. 4. d. which was answered upon account, and in the case of Smith it was not doubted if it shall be paid as here it is, but if it were contained in Smiths Patent or not, the imposition imposed upon Coles, now the 1. s. increase is paid, the imposition upon Tobacco was never doubted to be unjust as this is, and so much for presidents. And now for Statutes, the Statute of Magna Charta cap. 30. which was objected, that thereby all Merchants may have safe &c. to buy and sell, without all Tollues, but there is a saving, viz. by the ancient and old customs: the Statute of Articuli super chartas cap. 2. hath a saving in the end of it, that the King or his Council did not intend thereby to increase the ancient prices due and accustomed; so are all the other Statutes of Burveyors, the Statute of the 45. E. 3. cap. 4. which hath been so much urged, that no new imposition shall be imposed upon Woolfels, wooll, or Leather, but only the custome and subside granted to the King, this extends only to the King himself

himself, and shall not binde his successors, for it is a principal part of the Crown of England, which the King cannot diminish, and the same King 24. of his Reigne granted divers exemptions to certain persons, and because that it was in derogation of his State imperial, he himself recalled, and annulled the same; as to that which was objected, that the Defendant had paid poundage granted by the Statute of the first to the King, that is nothing to this purpose, for that is a subsidy, and not a custome, for when any imposition is granted by Parliament, it is only a subsidy, and not a custome, for the nature thereof is changed, and the impost of Wine is paid over, and above the poundage, and so should it be here, and whereas it was objected, that if it were in the time of war, it is sufferable, but in peace not, this seems no reason, for the King cannot be furnished to make defence in war, if he prohibe not in peace, and the provision is too late made, when it ought to be used, and as to that which was said, that the subject ought to have recompence, and valuable satisfaction, it seemeth to me that he had; for he hath the Kings protection within his Ports, and his safe conduct upon the land, and his defence upon the Sea, and all the Ports of the Realm belong to the King, and in this Court, there is a president where one in the time of Queen Eliz. claimed to have a Port to himself as his own, and it was adjudged that he could not, for it belongs to the Queen, and it could not be severed, and the King only shall have the customes, for landing throughout all the land, and in the 17. of E. 3. there is a notable president, where he reciteth all the benefits, which the subject had in his forraign Traffick, by the Kings power and protection, and therefore he imposed a new Impost: the writ of ne exeat Regnum comprehends a prohibition to him to whom it is directed, that he shall not go beyond the Seas, and this may be directed at the Kings pleasure to any man, who is his subject, and so consequently may he prohibite all Merchants, and as he may prohibite the persons, so may he the goods of any man, viz. that he shall export or import at his pleasure, and if the King may generally inhibite, that such goods shall not be imported, then by the same reason may he prohibite them, upon condition or sub modo, viz. that if they import such goods: that then they shall pay &c. and if the general be lawful the particular cannot be unjust, and the words in the writ of ne exeat Regnum, viz. et quam plurima nobis; et Coronæ nostræ præjudicialia ibidem prosequi intendis are not traversable by the subject, but he ought dutifully to obey his Sovereign: as to that, which is said, that this command to the Treasurer is not sufficient under the great Seal, that is otherwise, for before the Statute of R. 2. for matter of customes no command was directed to the Treasurer, but alwayes the King signified his pleasure to his customers under his privie Seal, and this gave authoritie to them to collect customes, and the same authoritie is given now to the Treasurer, and derived from him to the customers, as to that which is said, that the conclusion is evil, because it is in contempt of the King, without doubt it is a contempt, for the King may inhibite Traffick into any part of the world, if he will, or inflict a pain upon any, who shall Trade into such place inhibited, so may he do upon any commodity either inhibit it generally, or upon a pain or Impost, and if a subject use the Trade after such inhibition, or import his wares, and pay not the impost, it is a contempt, and the King shall punish him for it, at his pleasure; and as to that which is said, that it is a burthen to the Merchant, that is not so, for the burthen layeth it only upon the better part of the subjects, and if it were a burthen, it is no more then they themselves imposed, which was in their hands by commission in the time of Queen Eliz. and they have raised the prices to subjects more then the value of the Impost; and it is not to be intended, that the King by any Impost will prejudice the cause of Merchants, for the Trade in general is to him more beneficial, then any particular Impost: the case of the 11. and 14. H. 4. of Aulnageor, is not to be compared to this Case, for there the King had made a grant to a subject, and it was also of a thing which was granted before to a Baron, and also of a commodity

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within the land, and not transported, and for the case of Darcy: for the monopoly of Cards it is not like, for that is of a commodity within the land, and betwixt the Patenter, and the King, and not between the King, and the subject, and as to the exception taken to the Information, that it is Usurpation and doth not prescribe, this needeth not, for it is a prerogative wherein lieth no prescription, for every prerogative is as ancient as the Crown, and as to the conclusion of the Information it was objected, that it is not good, for the informer ought to pray the forfeiture; but this belongs to the Court to Judge of what shall be lost or forfeited, the offence being a contempt, and therefore the conclusion good enough, and so for all these reasons, judgement shall be given for the King. Flemming chief Baron, touching the exceptions to the Information they are of no force, for the first Usurpation &c. it hath been well said, that the King needs not prescribe in any prerogative, for it is as ancient as his Crown is, 2. E. 3. and for the conclusion viz. that he in contempt &c. that deserves no other answer, but that which hath been given before, for it is enough, without doubt warranted by infinite precedents, but for the Bar, it is an increase of the Defendants contempt, and no sufficient matter to answer an indigested and confused tale, with an improper and disobedient conclusion, and there is in it multa non multum, but the conclusion is without precedent, or example, for he saith, that the imposition which the King had laid, is indebitum, unjuste, et contra leges Angliæ imposita, and therefore he refused &c. in the case of Smith for Allom, the conclusion was moderate, and becoming a subject, judgement if he shall have Impost by his grant, and in the case of Mines, the Defendant being a great Peer of the Realm, concluded upon his grant and interest in the soil, and that he took the Petal, as it was lawful for him, and did not confront his Sovereign with terms of injustice, indebitum, and the like, and the King as it is commonly said in our Books cannot do wrong, and if the King seise my land without cause, I ought to sue to him in humble manner. Humillime supplicavit &c. and not with such terms of opposition in the Information, and all his matter had been saved to him then as well as now, or he might have pleaded his matter, and said wherefore he refused, as it was lawful for him: but for the matter it is of great consequence, and hath two powerful objects, which it principally respecteth, the one is the King, his power, and prerogative, his Treasure, and the Revenues of his Crown, and to impair and derogate from any of these was a part most undutiful in any subject, the other is the Trade and Traffick of Merchandise, transportation in and out of the land of commodities, which further publick benefit ought much to be respected, and nourished as much as may be; the state of the question is touching a new custome, Impositions or customs, are duties or summs of money newly imposed: by the King without Parliament upon Merchandise, for the augmentation of his revenues, all the questions arising in the case are, aut de personis, de rebus, vel de actionibus, viz. form and proceeding, the persons are first the King, his power, and authoritie. Secondly, not Bates the Defendant, nor the Usurers, but all men who import Currants, the imposition is properly upon Currants, and for them, and is not upon the Defendant, nor his goods, who is a Merchant, for upon him no imposition shall be, but by Parliament. The things are Currants a forraigne commodity, and a Usual; the s. s. for impost which is said to be great, the action formed or Process is the command by the great Seal, and the word therein are Petere et recipere, if they be sufficient, and if good without Proclamation or other notice, and how notice shall be given, and if it be good without an ad quod damnum, and the case of Mines in Plowden, which is the sole case in the printed Books of Law, to this purpose hath in it, foure reasons of the judgement. First, the excellency of the King, or his person. Secondly, the necessity of Copyn for his state. Thirdly, the utility of Copyn for commerce. Fourthly, the inconvenience, if the subject should have such royal possessions; and these reasons are not extracted out of the Books of Law, but are only reasons of poli-

ry, for Rex est legalis et politicus, and reasons politick, are sufficient to guide Judges in their arguments, and such cases and precedents are good directions in cases of judgement, for they are Demonstrations of the course of antiquitie, where upon my judgement shall consist upon reasons politick, and precedents; the case in Dyer 1. Eliz. fo. 165. was not like to the case in question; but only a conference, and the case there was, for an impost upon cloath, a domestick commodity; in this case, are recited their Grievances, but it was paid, and it is denied here; but there was no resolution thereof: at the same time, was the impost of Wines increased, and paid, and no petition or complaint thereof, and the custome of Englands commodities, were at the first imposed by the Kings will, for no Statute giveth them, viz. for Wool, Woolfels and Leather, and it was called the great custome, and that it was paid, it will not be denied, and yet now it is doubted, if the King can impose it upon forraign commodities, the King may restrain the person as it is in Fitz. Nat. Br. a fortiori he may restrain the goods; there was no custome for home Commodities, but the great custome aforesaid, which was after increased by Parliament, which was called the petit custome: it is a great grace in the King to the Merchants, that he will command, and permit this matter to be disputed between him and his subject, and the most fit place is in this Court, and the best rules herein are the precedents thereof, and politick reasons, which I shall give, and apply them to the particulars before recited, and first, for the person of the King, omnis potestas a deo, et non est potestas nisi pro Bono, to the King is committed the Government of the Realm and his people, and Bracton saith, that for his discharge of his office, God hath given to him power, the Act of Government, and the power to Govern: the Kings power is double, ordinary and absolute, and they are several Labors and ends, that of the ordinary is for the profit of particular subjects, for the Execution of Civil Justice, the determining of Meum, and this exercised by equitie and Justice in ordinary Courts, and by the Civillians is nominatid Jus privatum, and with us Common Law, and these Laws cannot be changed, without Parliament, and although that their form and course may be changed, and interrupted, yet they can never be changed in substance: the absolute power of the King is not that which is converted or executed to private use, to the benefit of any particular person, but is only that which is applied to the general benefit of the people, and is Salus populi; as the people is the body, and the King the head; and this power is guided by the Rules, which direct only at the Common Law, and is most properly named pollicy and Government, and as the constitution, of this body varieth with the time, so varieth this absolute Law, according to the wisdome of the King, for the Common good, and these being general rules and true as they are, all things done within these rules are Lawful; the matter in question is material matter of State, and ought to be ruled by the rules of pollicy, and if it be so, the King hath done well to execute his extraordinary power; all customes be they old or new, are no other but the effects and issues of Trades, and commerce with forraign Nations, but all commerce and affairs with forrainers, all wars and peace, all acceptance and admitting for Currant forrain Coyne: all parties and Treaties whatsoever are made by the absolute power of the King, and he who hath power of causes, hath power also of effects, no exportation or importation can be, but at the Kings Ports, they are the Gates of the King, and he hath absolute power by them to include or exclude whom he shall please, and Ports to Merchants are their Harbours, and repose, and for their better securitie he is compelled to prohibe Bulwarks, and Fortresses, and to maintain, for the collection of his customs and duties, collectors, and customers, and for that charge it is reason, that he should have this benefit: he is also to defend the Merchants from Pirates at Sea in their passage, also, by the power of the King they are to be relieved, if they are oppressed by forrain Princes, and his Treaty, and Embassage, and he be not remedied thereby, then lex Talionis shall be executed, goods for

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goods, and Tar for Tar, and if this will not redress the matter, then war is to be attempted, for the cause of Merchants: in all the Kings Courts, and of other Princes, the Judges in them are paid by the King, and maintained by him to do Justice to the subjects, and therefore he hath the profits of the said Courts: it is reasonable that the King should have as much power over forrainers, and their goods as upon his own subjects, and if the King cannot impose upon forraign Commodities a custome, as well as forrainers may upon their own Commodities, and upon the Commodities of this land when they come to them, then forraign States shall be enriched, and the King impoverished, and he shall not have equal profit with them, and yet it will not be denied, but his power herein is equal with other States, and so much for the person of Bates the subject: it is said, that an imposition may not be upon a subject without Parliament: that the King may impose upon a subject, I omit, for it is not here the question, if the King may impose upon the subject of his goods, but the impost here is not upon a subject, but here it is upon Bates, as upon a Merchant, who imports goods within this land, charged before by the King, and at the time when the impost was imposed upon them, they were the goods of the Venetians, and not the goods of a subject, nor within the land, but only upon those which shall be after imported, and so all the arguments which were made for the subject, fail; and where it is said, that he is a Merchant, and that he ought to have the Sea open and free for him, and that Trades of Merchants, and Merchandise is necessary to export before, the Surplus of our commodities, and then to import other necessities, and so is favourably to be respected, as to that it is well known, that the end of every private Merchant is not the common good, but his particular profit, which is only the means, which induceth him to Trade and Traffick, and the impost to him is nothing, for he rareth his Merchandise according to that, the impost is imposed upon Currants, and he who will buy them, shall have them subject to that charge, and it is a great conceit to deny the payment, and so much for the person: I will give a brief answer, to all the Statutes alledged on the contrary part, with this explication, that the subjects and Merchants are to be freed of Palestine, and this was Toll unjustly exacted by London, Southampton, and other Ports within this Realm, but they are with this saving, that they pay the duties and customs, due, or which hereafter shall be due to the King, which is a full answer to all the Statutes; the commodity of Currants, is no commodity of this land, but forraign, and whereas it is said, that it is Actual and necessary food, it is no more necessary then Wine, and impost for that hath been alwayes paid, without contradiction, and without doubt, there are many drinkers of Wine, who are also eaters of Currants, that which should be said Actual for the common-wealth is, that which ariseth from Agriculture, and of the earth within this land, and not nice and delicate things imported by Merchants, such as these Currants are, and are rather delicate or Medicine then a Actual, and it is no reason that so many of our good and staple Commodities; should be exported to Cleuse, for such a slight delicacy, and that all the impost shall be paid to the Venetians for them, and the King should have none for their Commoditie, and although that the price be thereby raised, this hurteth not the Merchant, nor no other, but only a small number of delicate persons, and those also who are of most able and best estate, for their pleasure, but when the King is in want, he is to be relieved by a general imposition or subside upon all the subjects; the imposition which is here said, to be so great, and intolerable, is an evil president, for if he may do so much, he may do it in infinitum, and upon all other Merchandise: for the imposition I say, that it is reasonable, for it is no more then four times so much then was before, and that there hath been as much done in ancient time in other Imposts, as in that of Wool, which was at first but an Noble a sack, and is now at 50 s. the Impost of Wine was in ancient time 3. s. 4. d. a Tun, and now is foure Marks, the lessening of custome and Impost is much to be guided, by intelligence

intelligence from forrain Nations, for the usage and behaviour of a forrain Prince may impose a necessity of raising custome of these Commodities, and so it was in the particular of Currants, the Duke of Venice imposed upon them a ducker by the hundred, which by the wisdom of the State was foreseen to be a means, that in time will waste and consume the Treasure of the land, whereupon the Queen writ to the Duke, that he would abate his custome, which he refused, wherefore to prevent, that so great a quantitie of this Commodity should not be imported into the land, the Queen granted to the company of Merchants of the Levant, that none should bring in Currants, but by their Licence, and those Merchants imposed upon them who did Import, which were not of their company, if he were denizen 5. s. if he were a stranger 10. s. and this was paid by the Merchants without contradiction, but there was a clause in the Patent, that when the Duke of Venice abated his Impost, that the Patent should be void, and after the Duke was solicited again, that he would abate the Impost, but he refused, and the first Commission was recalled, and after a new grant was made, which was executed all the Queens life time, which was as aforesaid; and whereas it is said, that if the King may Impose, he may Impose any quantitie what he pleases, true it is, that this is to be referred to the wisdom of the King, who guideth all under God, by his wisdom, and this is not to be disputed by a subject, and many things are left to his wisdom, for the ordering of his power, rather then his power shall be restrained, the King may pardon any felon, but it may be objected, that if he pardon one felon he may pardon all, to the damage of the Common-wealth, and yet none will doubt, but that is left to his wisdom, and as the King may grant a Protection for one year, so it may be said, that he may grant it for many years, which is a mischief, and so ought to grant none, which will not be denied but that he may, so it may be said, that the Queen may grant a safe conduct to a stranger, for if she may do that, then she may grant to all, which would be burthensome to the inhabitants, and yet it will not be denied; but that she may grant to any or all, as in her wisdom shall seem convenient, and the wisdom and providence of the King is not to be disputed by the subject, for by intention they cannot be severed from her person, and to argue a posse ad actum to restrain the King and his power, because that by his power, he may do ill, is no argument for a subject, to prove the power of the King by precedents of antiquitie in a case of this nature may easily be done, and if it were lawful in ancient time, it is lawful now; for the authoritie of the King is not diminished, and the Crown hath the same Attributes, that then it had, and in ancient time such Imposts were never denied, and that which is given by Parliament is not an Impost but a Subsidie: in ancient time small Traffick or intercourse was betwixt the inhabitants of this land and forrain Nations, so that the principal custom was of the Commodities of this land, which were Woolles and Leather, and that the custom for Woolles was an Abole for a Sack, was an imposition, as it appears by the Statute of the 14. of Ed. 3. cap. 21. it is objected, that Merchants cannot be restrained, but only persons suspected, as the writ of ne exeat Regnum is, but as it is said in Dyer, before cited, it is without doubt, that the cause is not Traffickable, and that the King may inhibit any man, for if it be not Traffickable, it is not material, and the reason wherefore any man may be restrained, is for defence of the Realm, and it may be done by privie Seal, privie signet, great Seal, or Proclamation, and that appears by the writ of licentia Transportandi in the Register which containeth licence for one to Travell, and limits him to what place he shall go, and when he shall return, and with what goods; that the King may prohibit goods and goods, and when a man is beyond the Seas, the King may command him to return, and if he doth not obey such command, he shall forfeit his goods: now for restraint of commodities many precedents are to prove it in the time of H. 3. and H. 4. it was forbidden, that no Woolle should be Transported into Flanders, and in H. 1. a Commission was awarded to inquire, who had done a-

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gainst this ordinance, and the goods of one Freeston were seized, therefore, an Attachment awarded against the Ships of Hull, for Transporting contrary to the ordinance, in the 22. E. 1. there it was forbidden, that no Merchant should Trade with France, for, Trade with forrainers is a forrain thing which is only referred to the King: In the 17. H. 6. all Merchants were forbidden to import wares from Flanders into this land, and the Citizens of London complained of certain Merchants, which had done contrary to this ordinance to the Lords of the privie Council, which I have here ready; for the Record mentions it, and the Kings Attornee was commanded to exhibit an information against the Merchants, which he did, and they pleaded that the Proclamation was made, here upon Easter Eve, and that they were then at Bruges, and upon the Wednesday after Bruges Market they bought the wares before notice of the Proclamation, and before it were possible, that they could have notice of it, and pray judgement &c. and so much for restraint of the person and goods, by the Statute of 31. E. 3. Cap. 8. times were appointed in which Wools should be Transported, and also Cap. 9. Authoritie was given to the Chancelor and Treasurer, to defer the passage at their pleasure, but that this was the Common Law, and that the King by his supreme Authoritie might do it, it seems to me it is apparant by the Statute of the 26. H. 8. Cap. 10. which gives power to the King by his letters Patents, to limit the time for importing of Wines against the Statute of 23. H. 8. Cap. 7. which was no more but a restoring of his power abridged before, and so was the Statute of 31. E. 3. for otherwise the Parliament would never have given him Authoritie to contradict an Act of Parliament by his letters Patents, or to revive these Acts: Impositions are merely a new custome, and so are they listed in the Argent of the Roll of the 3. E. 1. in this Court, where it is Recorded, that the King had assigned Merchants to receive (using the same words which are used here) half a Mark for every Sack of Wool, and a Mark of every Last of Leather, and that if the Merchant who is so appointed Transport any after, that it shall be forfeited, and out of this record I observe, that three hundred Pelts make a Sack of Wool: from the 21. Ed. 1. unto the 28. E. 1. the customs for Wools was 40. s. a Sack, and in 25. E. 1. the Imposition of Maletolt was repealed by Act of Parliament, which Maletolt was an increase of Impost upon staple commodities, and therefore was given to the King a great subsidy with this cause, that it should never be drawn into president; which shews, that this Maletolt was rightly imposed, otherwise the Parliament would never have given him so great a Remittance for the Abrogation of it: but after in the 13. of E. 3. because it was Arching of so great consequence to the Crown, it was revived and made 40. s. for Wool, and Woolsels, and 3. l. for Leather for denizens, and double for Strangers: in the 14. Ed. 3. a Petition in Parliament to abate it, and for a great subsidy it was released, and in the 18. of Ed. 3. it was again revived, and a new petition was made in Parliament, and this petition was continued until the 36. of Ed. 3. and then it was abated, and also by the 45. E. 3. it was again abated, so that it seem, that between these times it was revived, but after it did not continue long, for in 48. E. 3. it was again revived, and for Wool the Impost was 50. s. et sic de singulis, and in 1. R. 2. after it was answered to the King, as it appears in the accounts here, and in 5. R. 2. it was again suppressed by Parliament for a subsidy granted to the King with a saving of ancient rights: all these Statutes prove expressly, that the King had power to increase the Impost, and that upon commodities of the land, and that he continually used this power notwithstanding all Acts of Parliament against it, and so much for commodities of this land: but for forrain commodities it appears by no Act of Parliament, or other president that never any petition or suit was made to abate the Impost of forrain commodities, but of them the Impost was paid without denial; as for example, for Wines in the 16. E. 1. as appears in this Court upon Record, it was commanded to the Bailiff of Dover to levie and Collect of every Tun of Wine of a Stranger 4. s. and in

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in the 22. E. 1. 2. s. thereof was released, at the suit of the French Ambassador, Mich. 4. in the 26. of E. 3. the King granted privileges to Merchants Strangers, but there Jac. in the was given for it an increase of custome, and this was answered as it appears upon Exchequer. accompt in the times of E. 1. and E. 2. the case of Allom was as it hath been recited by my brother Clark: it is objected, that the Merchant ought to have free passage upon the Sea, but that doth not conclude the King, but that he shall have his Import if he cometh into his Ports, and here the question is for Merchandise after that they are brought into the Port, but it is said, that they cannot come into the Port but by the Sea, that is true, but if this reason should hold then the King could not grant Pirage, Pontage, and the like, because the common Channel to them is free, and Average is for security as well as Ports: another objection, that the Defendant here is not restrained, but that is answered, for if a pain be inflicted upon them who import, this is an inhibition upon a pain to all; another objection was, that there was no consideration of the Imposition, and if it be demanded what differences between the cases; I answer as much as is between the King, and a subject, and it is not reasonable that the King should express the cause and consideration of his Actions, for they are arcana Regis, and no satisfaction needeth, for if the profits to the Merchant failth he will not trade, and it is for the benefit of every subject, that the Kings Treasure should be increased: an objection was made against the form of proceeding, because it was by the great Seal to the Treasurer, and that he by the customers, Peteret et recipe- ret, and this could not be better, as it was answered before: it was objected that it should be by Proclamation, and that needs not, for it toucheth not all the subjects, but only those who are Traders in Merchandising, the best and aptest means to give them notice by the customers, and it is alledged by the information expressly, that he had notice. It was lastly objected, that there ought to be a quod damnum in the case before the grant, that is not so, for that shall be only when the King granteth any thing which appertaineth to his prerogative, and not when he maketh Charters, to his servants to levy his duties due to his Crown, wherefore I think that the King ought to have judgement, which was after given accordingly.

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The Bishop of Carlisle called John May in A. 26. Eliz. made a lease in reversion to Queen Eliz. of the Mannor of Horncastle, whereof the Bishop was seised in right of his Bishoprick, and this was for 4. years, and it was acknowledged before Commissioners appointed for this purpose, and the Bishop prayed it to be inrolled, and this prayer is indorsed but not inrolled, and in 37. Eliz. this lease was confirmed by the Dean and Chapter in the life of the lessor, and in 44. Eliz. the successor Bishop leased this land to Sir Edward Dimock, the Statute of the 43. of Eliz. hath a proviso, that it shall not extend to any lease before made by the Bishop of Carlisle to Queen Eliz. then not inrolled, and after the death of the Queen, viz. 5. Jac. this lease in 26. Eliz. is returned, and certified to be acknowledged, and is then also inrolled, and Sir Edward Dimock had entred, and was in possession by vertue of his lease, in the 3. Jac. and the information was for entrie and intrusion in 3. Jac. and upon the Bar all this matter was discovered, and a demurrer joyned George Crook for the King, conceived that the lease made in the 26. Eliz. is good, first he said, that although the Queen cannot take an inheritance of freehold without matter of Record, yet she may take Chattels upon a demise made, that they were granted unto her, and therefore heouched 21. H. 7. fo. 19 that an Obligation may be granted to the King without inrollment of the grant, and 40. Assise pl. 35. Brook tit. suggestion pl. 5. it appears that

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that the King shall have a Chattel by a demise by parol upon a suggestion made thereof in the Exchequer, without a Record, and in the 15. H. 7. fo. 15. the Kings Baylie who is not of Record, may be compelled to accompt upon a suggestion made, Brooks suggestion pla. 31. and in the 37. H. 6. fo. 7. & 18. if the King gives goods with his hands, this is good, although no record be made thereof, because it is but a Chattel, and by the same reason he inferred, that he may also accept of Chattel without a Record: but admitting that he cannot take without a Record, it seemeth that here is a thing well enough Recorded, to intitle the King after the return made by the Commissioners: for the Commissioners are officers of Record to this purpose, and they endorse the prayer of the partie to have it Recorded, and this being after the return is a sufficient Record to intitle the King, and he vouched the 2. H. 7. fo. 10. where the servant of Justice Catesby after the death of the Judge made a return, and this was good, and the 8. H. 4. a Record certified by a Judge after he was displaced, and 43. Assises if a Coroner makes his Rols and dies before he certifie them, they may be certified after his death, and so here, this acknowledgement and prayer being certified may at any time after be inrolled, and although it seemeth by the Book in the 19. Eliz. Dyer fo. 355. that a grant being made to the King and acknowledged before one of the Masters of the Chancery, and inrolled in the time of another King maketh not the Grant good, yet he said, that it was adjudged for another grant made to the King by the Duke of Somerset, and acknowledged before one of the Masters of Chancery, and inrolled in the time of another King was good enough to perfect the grant, and this was by a grant made by the Duke of Bozoms Inne in London, and he said, that it is not reasonable, that the Law should adjudge otherwise, for it may be, that the Clark will not inroll it untill such a time, viz. a moneth, within which time the King may die, should it now be reasonable, that it should not be inrolled at all, he said it was unreasonable, and he said, that it appeareth by the 37. H. 6. fo. 10. that a deed delivered at the Kings Coffers is good enough to avoid his lease made in the 44. Eliz. for although that it be true that a grant of a reversion shall never operate to the destruction of a right of a third person, yet it seemeth that an Act commenced, may be confirmed well enough to the destruction of a mean interpolated Act, and it seemeth that the inrolment here, is but a confirmation of a precedent lease, and not a relation to make a thing which was not before, and therefore to examine what thing an inrolment is, and it seemed to him that it is no matter of Record, as it appears 24. E. 3. and 29. H. 8. fo. 15. and therefore it appears by Wymacks Case Cook L. 5. that a deed inrolled ought to be pleaded, hic in Curia Prolat. which proveth, that the deed, and not the inrolment thereof is the thing which passeth the estate, and therefore he vouched the case in the 6. E. 6. Brook title faits, if one joynt Tenant sells all his land in D. and after his companion dieth, and then the deed is inrolled, yet a moitie only shall pass: and 41. Eliz. Cook Perimans Case lib. 5. if a man make a feoffment of lands, and inroll the Deed within the Mannor, as by the custome it ought to be, yet the inrolment shall pass nothing, and therefore it is there said, the inrolment may be good enough after the death of the parties, so by the same reason aforesaid, it is put in the same Case of Perimon, and also in Butlers and Bakers Case Cook lib. 3. that if a man deliver a writing as an escrow, to be his Deed upon certain conditions performed, and after the Obligor, and the Obligee die, and then the Conditions are performed, the Deed is good, for there was traditio inchoata in the life of the parties, and this being after consummated, takes his effect by force of the first delivery and acknowledgement, and therefore also he said, that it was lately adjudged, that if two men are mentioned to be bound by one Obligation, and the one seals at one day, and the other at another day, this is as good, as if it had been at one day, and therefore he said, that there is no doubt but if a lease be made to the King by a Bishop, and after another lease is made also of the same land, or if the Bishop die, yet if after the first lease be inrolled, this

is good, and therefore also he cited a case to be adjudged in Banco Regis 41. Eliz. 6. Jac. in between Collins and Harding, that if a man be seised of freehold; and Coppi- the Ex- hold land, and makes a lease of both for years with licence rendering rent, and after he grants the reversion of the freehold, and makes a surrender of the Coppihold, to the use of the same person, and an attornment is had for the freehold, and the presentment of the surrender for the Coppihold, is not made until a year after, yet he in reversion shall have an action of debt for all the rent, for the presentment of the surrender is but a perfection of the surrender before made, also he cited the case as I observed him to this effect, in the 9th. of Eliz. in the Abbot of Colchester Case, where he said, that the Abbot of Colchester committed treason, and after made a lease for years, and then he surrendered to the King all his lands, and after an office found the treason, and it was holden the lease is good against the King, who took by the surrender, and not by the treason committed before, but as Walter said, the case was adjudged, that the King should avoid the lease, for now he is in by the treason paramount the surrender.

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In an Ejectione firmæ brought up three acres in the forrest of Kevington in the Countie of the Defendant pleaded not guiltie, and the Venire facias was awarded de vicineto of the forrest, and the Defendant moved in arrest of judgement, because the Venire facias de vicineto of the forrest was not good, for as Stephens, for the Defendant said, that a forrest and the name thereof, is but a place privileged for Venison, and not a place certain from whence a Venue may come, and it was said, that in the 16. Eliz. in Banco Regis in the Lord Padgetts Case a Trespass was brought of 3. Acres of land in Beer-wood, and the venire facias was awarded de vicineto, de Beer-wood, and the chief Baron Tanfield said, that in this case the venire facias was not well awarded; and so it was holden in the Kings Bench, and therefore he would be advised in this Case; and after at another day it was moved, and then the chief Baron said, that he had perused the Books touching the Case in question, and that it appears by the 47. E. 3. fo. 6. by Fuchden, that a forrest is many times out of any Parish, and therefore shall not be intended to be within any Parish, and he said, that the Defendant in this case ought to have pleaded, that the forrest was within such a Parish, and demanded judgement, if he shall be answered without alleging it to be within a Parish, and that otherwise judgement ought to be given for the Plaintiff, and so he said, that it was now lately adjudged in the Kings Bench, where a man was indicted for Hunting in a forrest, and a venire facias was awarded de Foresta and good, and he vouched also the 8th. of H. 8. in Savages Case, and the 7. of E. 3. and Baron Alcham Accorded; and he vouched also the Book of the 18. of E. 3. fo. 36. where it is said expressly, that it shall not be intended to be within a Parish, except it be shewed in the pleading on the other side, and he vouched also 17. H. 8. fo. 12. and then all the Barons agreed, that judgement shall be given for the Plaintiff.

Airie and Alcock.

The Case was argued again, between Airie and Alcock concerning the misnaming of Corporations, which was argued before, as appeareth fo. and Thomas Stephens the Princes Attorney argued, that the lease is void by the reason of the misnomer, and he observed the Misnomer to be principally in these two material things. First, where the foundation was, by the name of the Hall; or the Colledge of the Queen &c. the presentation of the Parson, and also the confirmation of the lease made by the name of the Queens Colledge &c. omitting the word (Scholars) which should immediately precede the word Aula Reginz which he held a material variance; the second variance he observed to be thus, that

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where the foundation was by the name of the Hall or Colledge of the Queen in Oxford, the presentation and confirmation of the lease was, by the name of Pro-
vost of Queens Colledge in the Universitie of Oxford, so that the word Univer-
sitie was added, which was not in the foundation, and to prove that these varian-
ces were material for the avoiding of leases, he cited the case often remembred,
in the argument before, which conceived Merton Colledge in Oxford; and the
parties to this case, were Fish and Boys, which was in Trin. 30. Eliz. Banco R.
Rot. 953. wherein the case was, that the said Colledge was incorporated by the
name of Warden and Scolers of the house or Colledge of Scolers of Merton
in the Universitie of Oxford, and that they made a lease by the name of the War-
den, and Scolers of the house or Colledge of Merton Colledge in Oxford, so
that the word Scolers, which did immediately preceed the word Merton in the
foundation is omitted in the lease as in the principal Case: also where the word
Universitie was added in their Incorporation the same was omitted in the lease,
whereas on the other side, this was not mentioned in Airies Case to be contained
in the foundation, but added in the lease, and he said, that for these variances in
Merton Colledge Case, the lease was holden to be void, which he held to be all
one with our case; but he agreed, that in divers cases variances in addition of sur-
plusage shall not be hurtful in a lease, as appears by 21. and 22. E. 4. and there-
fore though in the principal Case, the word fellows was added in the lease, which
was not in the foundation he would not argue, that this should be any variance to
hurt the lease; Here Baron seemeth, that the verdict is not sufficient to move him
to give judgement for the Plaintiff; for he said, although it be admitted, that the
lease by reason of the variance is not good, yet the verdict doth not sufficiently
finde that Doctor Airie is a person, who may take advantage of the invaliditie
thereof, for it appeared not, of whose presentation Doctor Airie came, to have
the Parsonage, for although that it should be admitted, as it is said in Heckers
Case 14. H. 8. that here might be Parson of his own presentment, yet it is not
found that he did so here, and he said that in every quare Impedit it ought to be
expressed, what person made the presentation; so the variance he thought the
lease to be good, notwithstanding that, for he said, that the word (Scho-
lers) is not added in the foundation as a part of the name of a Corporation, but
only to express what kinde of Colledge this should be, viz. to distinguish it from a
Merchants Hall or Colledge, and therefore though the word Scolers be put
in, yet we properly call it the Queens Colledge, and not the Queen Scolers
Colledge, for it is not of necessitie that the Scolers of the said Colledge, should
be the Queens Scolers, but that they are Scolers of the Queens Colledge,
and he vouched 2. H. 7. Fitz. Titles Grants, and as to the case of Merton Col-
ledge cited by Stephens he said, that in that Case, there was a main imperfection
in the verdict, which as he thought might move the said judgement to be given as
it was, and not the matter in Law, for they did not finde, that the lessoe was war-
den of the Colledge at the time of the lease made; also he vouched Cook lib. 6.
Sir Moil Finches Case, and he vouched Sir Peter Seawels Case, where in a
lease made by a Corporation, that these words ex fundatione Regis E. 6. which
were part of their foundation were omitted, and yet the lease good, and he cited
also the case of the Bishop of Peter Bourough, where the Corporation was by the
name of Episcopi de Burgo Sancti Petri, and a lease was made by the name of
the Bishop of Peter Bourough, and the lease good, and that no difference in sub-
stance, and if a Corporation were made by the name of Scolers and fellows, and
in a lease the word fellows is omitted, yet it is good; and therefore in the prin-
cipal Case, it seemeth, that the omission of the word fellows is not material: also
he said, that the addition of the word Universitie, which is no part of the Corpo-
ration, is not fatal to the lease, for in the Lord Norths Case 36. & 37. Eliz.
the addition of the word Universitie, or the omission thereof, was holden of no
force to avoid the lease. Alcham Baron Contra for the matter in Law: but for
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the insufficiency of the verdict he thought, that there ought to be a new venire facias, for no judgement may be given for any party; for the insufficiency of the verdict, for it is not found, that Doctor Airie was presented. And therefore he cannot have an action, for it cannot be intended, that his presentation was by a better name than the other presentation was, and he cited the 11. H. 7. fo. 8. and 17. E. 3. title quare impedit, he who will avoid a presentation, ought to intitle himself. Secondly, it is not found here that the Church is void sufficiently, he said, that if a Bishop present himself, this is void merely, and he cited Heckers Case, it is not found here that Doctor Airie entered post inductionem, for it is said, that he entered ante prædictum tempus quo &c. but not that he entered after induction, and therefore it may be he entered before, and then it is not good: but for the matter of Disfranchisement it seemeth, that this avoids the lease contrary to Baron Hens opinion, wherefore the chief Baron Tanfield advised the parties to agree, to have the true case rightfully found by a new special verdict, for he said to Doctor Airie, that no judgement can be given for him, what opinion soever himself, and Baron Snig should hold, the which they would not deliver, for Snig Baron said, that by 40. Assise that if a man be indebted to the King, and devise all his goods to A. and the Executor assenteth, and after this debt is demanded, the Legatee in this Case shall be charged for this debt, and so was it ordered by him and Tanfield as reasonable and equal: but Hern and Altham contrary, for it was the folly of the Executor to assent to the Legacie, and they said, that it was so adjudged, and resolved in Sir William Fitzwilliams Case in the Exchequer Chamber by an English Bill.

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Upon a motion made by Walter, it was shewed by him out of a Record in the Tower, that in the 31. E. 1. a Statute was made to discharge Merchants Strangers from the payment of Pilage of Wine, and allowed by the Court, that no Merchant shall be chargable for the pilage of Wines: see more of this Case in the Tit. of Dublin in Ireland.

An Information against Sir Edward Dimock,

The Case of the Information against Sir Edward Dimock, which was the last Term, was now argued again by Thomas Crew for the King: but his argument I have not written. Walter for the Defendant said, that the Commission for taking of the acknowledgement of the lease, was not returned in the life of the Queen, nor the case was not put in this case in the Queens life time, as it was in divers of the cases cited of the other side, and therefore it differs from them: in this case he observed foure points. First, if this lease should be good, if it were never enrolled. Secondly, admitting that it cannot, if here be such an enrolment as is requisite. Thirdly, admitting that the lease is good without enrolment, or with this enrolment, then if this can avoid the lease made in the Interim. Fourthly, if no lease be good until enrolment, then if the confirmation being made before the enrolment can be a good confirmation. And as to the first, he conceived, that the Cases put of personal Chattels, vested in the King without Record are good Law: but here it is of a real Chattel, and he said, that there are three reasons to prove, that personal Chattels are in the King without Record. First, they are in judgement of Law trippal. Secondly, they are perishing, and of no continuance. Thirdly, the Records would be infinite, if they should be of Record, but there are no such reasons to prove, that real Chattels should not be of Record, for in the judgement of Law, they are of greater value, and are also more permanent, and therefore Thrope saith in the 18. E. 3. that it had been adjudged, that Liberty ought to be made upon a lease for 100. years, also lessee for years shall have aid; but lessee at will shall not, also it appears by Cook lib 4. in Sir Andrew Corbets Case, that a Guardian shall not avoid a lease for years: also the Statutes regard leases for years, and it was holden in Gravenors Case, in the 23. Eliz. in the Court of Wards, that a woman shall forfeit her joynture, for making of a lease for 40. years by acceptance of a fine, and reservation of a rent: also lessee for years

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may falsifie a recovery: also it is agreed of the other part, that the King cannot take an use without Record, and 6. E. 6. Dyer Bouchers Case, the King cannot take an use without record: also he said, that in every case, where a Deed or Record is requisite for a freehold, the same conveyance is also requisite for a lease for years: and therefore if a freehold be conveyed to a body politick, it ought to be by Deed, the same Law if a lease for years be conveyed to them, and so if a lease for years be made, of a hundred or rent; this ought to be by Deed, by 15. H. 6. fo. 38. also in Bayes and Norwoods Case 41. Eliz. it was adjudged, that a lease for years cannot be made to a corporation without Deed, 2. E. 6. Brook Tit. Recognizance 19. a man cannot make a Surrender to the King without Record: the second point he said, that the inrolment being made after the death of the Bishop, Lessee, or of the Queen Lessee, is no sufficient matter of record; for in judgement of Law nothing shall pass out of the Lessee until the inrolment, and therefore the inrolment is the thing which maketh the estate, and not only which perfecteth it, and in all cases, as appears in Say and Fullers Case, the thing which maketh the estate or which perfecteth it, ought to be in the life of the Lessee, and therefore if a reversion be granted, attornment ought to be made in the life of the grantor, 40. Assises pla. 19. & 16. Assises pla. 15. and Cook lib. 2. in Tookers Case, and to prove further, that the thing which ought to perfect the estate, ought to be in the life of the grantor, or feoffor, he vouched 31. E. 3. tit. abbe 10. and 41. E. 3. and temps H. 8. tit. feoffments, if a feoffee enter not by force of a livery within the View, this is not good, and if a Bishop make a lease, and the Chapter do not confirm it until after his death, it is not good, by 31. E. 3. tit. Abbe 10. also here to prove, that in respect of the Queen Lessee died before inrolment, that the lease is not good, for this purpose he vouched 24. E. 3. and the 11. E. 4. and the 7. H. 4. and 21. E. 4. that Chattels granted to the King shall go to the successor, and not to the Executor; and because nothing vested in the Queen, nothing can vest in the King as successor, for a thing cannot be vested in one as heir or successor, which was never vested in the Ancestor, and he vouched Bullocks case in 10. Eliz. Dyer & 21. Ed. 4. of election: also it cannot vest in the King primarily, because he was never partie to the Indenture of lease, and he cited a case to be adjudged accordingly, betwixt Founds and ——— 29. Eliz. & 11. H. 7. that he who is not partie to the Indenture, shall not be primarily bound, nor shall primarily take by the same Indenture, and it is inconvenient, that this should be a good inrolment, and where it was said of the other part, that a bargain and sale is good enough, although it be not inrolled in the life of the parties, so that it be inrolled within 6. moneths, to that he well agreed, for by the bargain and sale an use passeth at the Common Law without help of the Statute, and this without inrolment, and the Statute of inrolments restraineth it not, but that it may pass well enough at this day, and so the Statute perfects it, so that it be within 6. moneths indifferently, and therefore it is good, notwithstanding the death of the parties, and he concluded with the Book of the 19. Eliz. Dyer fol. ——— and whereas it was said to be resolved contrary in an authoritie not printed, he said that he believed the printed Book, and vouched also the case cited before, in Butlers and Bakers Case, Cook lib. 3. to the third point it seemed to him, that although the inrolment be good; yet that should not avoid the estate by relation, for a relation is not good to avoid mean conveyances, without an ancient right, as if the Kings Cisterien purchase lands, the King now hath right, and therefore an office found after, shall relate to avoid all mean conveyances, and he said, that relations are not so certain, wherefore a man may make a ground, for every case hath his particular reason, and therefore to some purposes, an attornment ought to relate; but to other purposes it ought not to relate, and therefore an attornment cannot relate, to intitle a grantee to rents due between the grant and the attornment, and so in this case, if the inrolment had been in the life of the Bishop and of the Queen, yet it could not have given to her the mean profits

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profits between the grant and the inrolment, and he vouched a case in Butlers and Bakers case, and the 11. H. 7. that a relation shall never be prejudicial to a stranger for his estate lawfully executed, and therefore if a feoffment be made to a husband and wife, and to a third person, and after the husband and wife are divorced for a precontract, yet they shall take but a Poitie, as if they were married, also it is a rule, that an estate vested cannot be made Tortious by relation: see Butlers and Bakers Case; and he vouched a case to be adjudged, betwixt Windgate and Hall in the Kings Bench Mich. 31. & 32. Eliz. that if a Statute be acknowledged to a Common person, and another Statute to the King by the same Conufo, and after the Statute acknowledged to the common person is extended, and the Conufoe in possession, and also the King sues execution of his Statute, he shall not avoid the estate lawfully executed in the first Conufoe, as it was there holden, but the Barons said, una voce, that if such a case should come in question before them, they would hold the contrary for the King; and for the fourth point, viz. if the confirmation were good, being made before inrolment of the lease, and so upon the matter before any lease in being, to which the Counsel of the one part nor of the other were provided to speak. Walter said, that the confirmation was not good, for Littleton saith, that a thing of estate which is not in being cannot be confirmed; and Tanfield chief Baron said, and others also, that this was the principal point of the case, and the great doubt is of the other part, viz. that this is not good, and therefore advised them to argue it at another day, and Walter said, that the confirmation is not good, in regard it is not of record nor inrolled, and he vouched the 26. of E. 3. fo. 20. that the King cannot take notice of any thing without record; the next Term upon the first Tuesday it was appointed to be argued again: and Doddridge the Kings Serjeant observed four points. First, if any inrolment be necessary in the case. Secondly, admitting that the inrolment be requisite, if here be a good inrolment, being made after the Kings death. Thirdly, if the confirmation of the Dean and Chapter be of necessity to be inrolled. Fourthly, admit that the confirmation need not to be inrolled, and that the lease ought to be inrolled, then if this confirmation be good, because it was before the inrolment of the lease: as to the first he conceived, that aswell a Chattel real as a thing personal may vest in the King without Record, for it should be inconvenient, that Chattels should be inrolled. First, for the infiniteness. Secondly, for the small value of them in the judgement of Law, and he vouched 40. Assises pla. 35. of a Legacy devised to the King, and 37. H. 6. fo. 10. if a Chattel be given to the King, there needeth no record, and the 28. E. 3. fo. 23. the King brings a quare impedit upon a grant of the next presentation without record, and yet it was good 21. H. 7. fo. 19. an obligation may be granted to the King without record 35. H. 8. Brook prerogative, and 33. H. 6. the Bailly shall have aid of the King, and he vouched also 2. E. 6. Brook prerogative, and 35. H. 6. fo. 3. Fitz. pillinage, and Brook prerogative, and the 21. H. 7. fo. 8. if a man possess of a Term be outlawed, this Term is in the King by outlawry without Record: to the second point, he thought that the inrolment was good after the Queens death, for the inrolment ought to relate, as it appears by 1. H. 7. fo. 28. and this relation disaffirmeth the mean estate, and gives also the mean profits, and as to the point of relation, he vouched Nichols Case, Plowden where the entry of the heir once lawful was made unlawful by relation, and he vouched also 14. H. 8. fo. 18. in the end of Wheelers Case, and by the 4. H. 7. fo. 10. a man seised of land is attainted of Treason, the King grants this land to A. the person attainted commits a Trespass, and is restored by Parliament, the Patentee shall never have an action of Trespass, because this restitution takes away the cause of action, and to prove that the inrolment may be well enough after the Queens death, he said, that the said case put to be resolved in the 19th. of Eliz. Dyer fo. 355. concerning the Duke of Somerset, was after adjudged contrary to the said resolution, and he said, that the case concerning parcel of the land contained in

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S. the Deed come in question in Parliament, in the 43. Eliz. and it was then com-
manded, that the Deed should be inrolled, and also be compared it to a case put
in Shelleys Case, that the heir shall have land as by descent from his father, al-
though that the conveyance be not inrolled in the life of the father: also he said,
that the Queen dieth not as to her body politic: to the third point he said, that
the confirmation need not to be inrolled, for it passeth nothing and is but a bare
assent, and therefore differeth from the case of Parson and Ordinary, and of a
disseisee, for the disseisee hath right to grant, and the Parson and Ordinary have
interest in R. but Bishops are seized in their own right, and therefore their lease
wants the approbation only of the Dean and Chapter, and he vouched Cook. lib.
3. the Dean and Chapter of Norwiche Case, and the writ of Sine Assensu Ca-
pituli in the Register proveth it, for the vic. confirmation pl. 30. observes, and
Littleton in the end of his chap. of discontinuance saith, that a parson may charge
the Gleab by the assent of the Parson and Ordinary; and the opinion of Brook
in the case of the 33. of H. 8. vic. confirmation pl. 30. agreeth to this opinion,
and so are some opinions in the 7. H. 4. fo. 15. & 16. and he said, that this point
was adjudged accordingly in the first of Ma. but he had not the record thereof; and
therefore he would not insist upon it, and he vouched 1. and 2. of Ma. Dyer fo.
106. and Cook lib. 6. fo. 15. Hodges Case, that the acceptance of the Parson
is good enough to make a confirmation; to the fourth point he said, that the con-
firmation was good, notwithstanding it be before the inrolment of the lease,
for the lease shall stay his operation, until all the Ceremonies be used for the per-
fection of the estate, and he vouched Littleton fo. 122. and 6. E. 6. Dyer fo. 69.
where a parson made a lease to commence after his death, the Parson and Ordina-
ry in the life of the parson confirmed it, and this is good, and he vouched also,
Anne Maiowes Case Cook lib. 1. where the father confirmed the sons grant when
he had but a possibilitie, and yet good, and he vouched Dyer 2. & 3. Eliz. fo.
194. where a grant was uncertain, and the inception was before, the confirmation
after makes it good, and therefore he said, if disseisor and disseisee bargain land,
although it be but a confirmation of the disseisee, which may be well enough with-
out inrolment of the Deed by a bare delivery, yet this shall hinder the operation
until the inrolment of the Deed, which should pass the estate from the disseisor,
and by Cook lib. 5. Fitz. Case it appeareth, that one part of the assurance shall
stay his operation until another part hath his perfection; and therefore he conclu-
ded, that here the confirmation in judgement of Law, should stay his operation
until the lease be inrolled which passed the estate: see the argument of Serjeant
Nichols to the contrary, and also the argument of Thomas Crew in Easter Term
and Trin. 7. Jac.

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TAnfield chief Baron said, that in the year 31. Eliz. it was adjudged in Goar
and Peers Case, if Tenant for life infeoffe A. and his heirs to the use of the
feoffee and his heirs during the life of the feoffor, that this is a forfeiture, because
these words during the life of the feoffor shall be but to the use limited, and he put
the case which Serjeant Nichols put at the Bar of the Lady Catesby, which was,
that a man suffered a recovery to the use of William Catesby and Anne his wife,
and of the longer liver of them, and of the Executors of William for forty years,
if one Elizabeth Catesby should so long live, William Catesby dies, and the
reversion came to the King by forfeiture, and he pretended, that Elizabeth Ca-
tesby being dead the estate is also determined, in regard that these words, if Eliza-
beth shall so long live, refer to all the estate; but Curia avisari vult.

It was said by the chief Baron, that if a man plead a deed in writing, and the other partie do not pray Oyer, the same Term he shall not have Oyer in another Term in the Common Pleas, but in the Kings Bench Oyer shall be granted in another Term.

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It was found by office that Elizabeth Bowes was convicted of Recusancy in 35. Eliz. and that a lease for years was made unto her in the year 36. Eliz. in trust, and that she had conveyed this lease over according to the trust, and a question was demanded, if the King shall have this term or not for her Recusancy, and it seemed that he shall, because she is not capable nor liable of any trust, and therefore the conveyance made by the Recusant was, as if it had been without any compulsion by reason of the trust.

If a Coppholder of the Kings Mannor pretendeth prescription for a Modus decimandi against the Parson, the right of Tithes shall be tried in the Exchequer, and a prohibition was granted to the Ecclesiastical Court in this Case.

Owen Ratliff was lessee for years of the King rendering rent, and he assigned his Term to Sir Thomas Chichley in trust, for payment of the debts of the said Owen Ratliff, and after the Debts were paid, Chichley resigned it, but in the interim between the assignment and the resignation divers rents incurred to the King, and the Barons agreed, that these arrearages in Law may be levied upon the land of Chichley notwithstanding the trust, but because the Court was informed, that the Executors of Ratliff had assets, and continued farmer of the farm at that time, they compelled him to pay it, and being present in Court, they imprisoned him untill payment made, and allowed him his remedy by English Bill against Chichley, and that by the agreement, Chichley was to have paid the rents to the King.

The Earl of *Cumberlands* Case.

It was found by diem clausit extremum after the death of G. Earl of Cumberland, that King E. 2. gave to the Lord Clifford (inter alia) the Mannor of Skipton in Craven to him and to the heirs of his body, and found further the descent in a direct line, until the time of H. 6. and that the first Donee, and all others to whom it descended were seised, prout lex postulat without determining any estate in certain in the Donee, and they found that H. 6. by sufficient conveyance concessit Reversionem, nec non manerium de Skipton in Craven to Thomas Lord Clifford, to whom the estate given by E. 2. was descended and his heirs, by force whereof the said Thomas was seised prout lex postulat, and found the descent to the Earl of C. now dead, and found that by fine, and recovery he conveyed an estate in this land to the use of his brother, that now is Earl of C. in tail, the remainder over to &c. and died having a daughter now Countess of Dorset, who moved by Dodderidge the Kings Serjeant in the Court of wards, that this office was insufficient, for by the pretence of the said Countess, the first estate given to the Cliffords by E. 2. was a general tail, and then the fine levied, and the recovery suffered by the last Earl her father is no Bar, but that it may descend to this Countess as his heir in tail, and therefore Serjeant Dodderidge said to the Lord Treasurer then present in Court, that if this should be allowed, that Jurors may give generally a grant made, and shew no qualitie of the conveyance nor any place, or time, but if this were a grant of reversion or of a possession he said, that many men by such offices should have their lands given away, whereunto they had no means for uncertainties to take a Traverse, and as to insufficiency of this office;

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lice, he said, that the insufficiency therein consisted first in matter. Secondly, in form; for the insufficiency of the matter is two fold. First, because that the office findes only, that King H. 6. by sufficient conveyance not limited any manner of conveyances, nor any quality thereof: which ought to be shewed, and it is material, because we may give a different answer thereunto; for against letters Patentes we may plead one thing, and against an other conveyance we may plead another thing, and so our answer differeth according to the quality of the conveyance. Secondly, it is insufficient in matter, because it is found that H. 6. granted the possession, and that he granted the reversion nec non manerium which is repugnant, for if the King grant a reversion, then no possession passeth, and if he pass a possession, then no reversion passeth: and therefore it is repugnant to say, that he granted Reversionem nec non manerium which implieth a possession: also he said, that his exceptions to the office as to the Spanno of it, are two-fold. First the office doth finde any time of the grant made by H. 6. and this is material, for the grants upon Record take their force from the time of their date, as appears by Ludfords Case in Plowdens Commentaries, and he said, that at this time the case is material to be express, in respect that H. 6. was for part of his reign deposed, and after restored, and it might be in the time, that he was deposed by Edward the fourth; but unto that it was answered by the attorney of the wards, that the office found, that H. 6. granted &c. that it was not in the time when he was deposed: the second insufficiency in the Spanno is, because it is not found at what place, H. 6. made the said grant, and that this is material to be found by office, he vouched 36. H. 6. 32. and he said, that it is very requisite, that in such offices all circumstances ought to be expressed, in as ample certaintie as in a declaration, so that the partie prejudiced by the office may know where to search for the conveyance, but the Attorney general said, that there needs no such express finding of all circumstances by a Jury, as it ought to be in pleading, for it shall be taken by intendment in divers cases; but yet he said, that it appears by 1. Eliz. Dyer 174. it is a good plea to say, that A. granted a reversion &c. to the King, without shewing how; much more in office, which is the Act of the Jurors; and therefore Serjeant Harris cited the Book of 14. & 15. H. 7. 22. where an office found an estate tail without mention of the Donor, and yet good; and the Attorney general said also, that it appears by the finding of the Jury, in Fulwoods Case Cook lib. 4. that the Jury need not precisely to finde all circumstances, for if there be convenient certaintie, the residue shall be supplied by intendment, as it is there said, and the Attorney said, that whereas it hath been objected, that the issue is evil, because it is found that H. 6. granted the reversion, and also the Spanno and Castle aforesaid, and doth not limit incertaintie, that the King granted a reversion, or that he granted a Spanno in possession, to that he said, that it is clear, that the King may after recital of a particular estate grant the reversion, nec non terras five manerium, and then be the land in lease, or be the lease void in Law, yet the land shall pass; and this is his course alwayes in granting the Kings lands to others, and therefore the Jury did well, to finde the truth, without determining what should pass, for admit, that there were no estate precedent in being, yet by this finding it appears plainly, that the Spanno and Castle should pass by the grant, in the time of H. 6. to which the Lord Cook agreed for Law, and so he said, it was his use when he was Attorney general, to which also the Lord Treasurer, Flemming chief Justice, and Tanfield chief Baron agreed, and the Attorney general said, that his use was, if A. had a lease from the King of B. acre, which by effluccion is to determine in Anno 1612. and the said A. doubting that this lease was not good in Law, prayed to have a new lease; that in this case, he recited the first lease in the new letters Patentes; and thereby granted the land for twentie years from &c. which shall be in Anno 1612. or from the sooner determination of the former lease, and the Judges allowed it to be good, and Dodderidge Serjeant said, that after the difference taken between the pleading,

ding, and the finding of the Jury, it seemed to him, that there is a great difference between them, but after the finding of the Jury upon an office, as our case is, and a pleading, there is no difference, for the office is a thing, to which an answer may be made, but a verdict given upon issue joyned between the parties, hath no other proceeding, but to judgement immediately; and therefore such a verdict shall be divers times supplied by the construction of the Judges, but a verdict upon an office, ought to be as certain as an indictment, because the partie may Traverse, and to prove, that upon such uncertain offices, there is no remedy by Traverse, he vouched the case of 3. H. 4. 5. upon an insufficient office after the outlawry of A. and no time is found of the outlawry, and he observed out of the said book, that the partie oured by the said insufficient office had no remedy by Traverse, but was compelled to make a motion to the Court; and after this case for difficultie was referred to the two chief Justices, and the chief Baron to consider upon, who the said Term at Serjeants Inne appointed it to be argued, where Walter of the Inner Temple moved, that the office was insufficient, and he cited one Baylies case to be resolved here, where an office found, that A. died seised de quodam tenemento, that office was not good, because of the incertaintie, for it may be a rent of a house, but otherwise it would be, if it were upon a special verdict after issue joyned, as he said it was there agreed, also he said, that it was there agreed, if an office findes that A. was seised of B. acre in fee, and vich, it is not good, because it is not found, that he died seised, yet in pleading, it is good, because, when the fee simple is shewed to be in a man, it shall be intended to continue in him until the contrary appears, also in Pasch. 43. Eliz. Morton and Brigs Case an office found A. to be seised of certain lands in D. holden in capite &c. it is not good without shewing the certaintie &c. so if the office had found, that he was seised of 100. acres in D. and that certain of them were holden &c. this is not good, without shewing which &c. as it was there also agreed, in 26. H. 8. the condition of an Obligation was, that the Obligor should make a sufficient estate of B. acre, in debt upon this obligation, it is no good plea to say, that he had made a sufficient conveyance &c. without shewing in certain what it was: Mich. 32. & 33. Eliz. between Ireland and Gold, a man pleaded for title that A. was seised, and by deed inrolled gave and granted such land &c. this is no good pleading, because no sufficient certaintie therein, also it is not good, because there is no certain time shewed of the grant made, and although that a grant by record is good, as it is in 37. H. 6. yet in pleading, he ought to shew the time of the making of it, 20. H. 7. also it is specially required to have the time of the making of the grant to be found here, because there were divers Acts of Resumption made to nullifie grants by H. 6. in some of the years of his reign, and it may be that this grant was made, within those times contained in the Acts of resumption; and therefore &c. Hutton Serjeant argued, that the office finding quod concessit generally is good, and sufficient without these words, by sufficient conveyance, and the Traverse may be generally, non concessit modo et forma, and by 40. Assise pla. 24. it is sufficient to say, that A. was seised in fee, and committed a forfeiture 5. Ed. 4. 10. accordingly, also he said, that it appears by 14. & 15. H. 7. if an office findes that A. was seised in tail, it is a good office, but in pleading not good without shewing how; also in Knights Case Cook lib. 5. 56. it appears that an office is good enough to intitile the King if it have substance, although the manner be not soymal 3. H. 6. an office finding that A. died seised, and finderth not of what estate, and yet it is good to intitile the King: Bacon Solicitor general contra, and he said, that they are in deigled by reason of this office, for the partie grieved knoweth not, where or how to Traverse, because it is not found by what conveyance H. 6. granted the reversion, for if it be by letters Patentes, a man cannot plead to them nul tiel Record, also a verdict upon an office is principally to inform the partie who may Traverse, and not like a verdict upon issue joyned, whereunto the partie hath no answer, but is only to inform the

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Judges, who ought to Judge: Hobert Attorney generall contra, yet he agreed, that if a patent be pleaded, a man cannot say against it nul tiel Record; but he said, that Lucies Case 14. H. 7. is a stronger case then ours, where an office is holden good, finding a man to be seised in tail, and upon that book he relied much, to prove the office to be good. Bacon Solicitor said, here is an incertaintie in the conveyance, and also in the estate, which is not in the 14th. of H. 7. for there is an expresse finding of an estate and a dying seised thereof; but here the finding is, that he was seised prout lex postulat: Harris Serjeant, that the office is good, and he vouched also Knights Case Cook lib. 5. vouched by Hutcon, and also the case of Alcon-woods Cook lib. 1. that an office there was holden good, although more uncertain then this office, and here the office is only, that H. 6. granted, and shewed how; and therefore &c. Walter said, that it appears by the argument of Keeble in the case 14. H. 7. 26. where he argued, that where the right of the estate is to be inquired, there it ought to be certain in all circumstance; but otherwise it is, if the inquiry be only upon the possession, for there if a sufficient possession be found it is good enough. And Brian chief Justice said, the office was void in that case so. 27. and the Judges in this case would be advised until the next Term; and the next Term it was recited again, by Nichols Serjeant for the Earl of Cumberland, and by Bacon Solicitor for the Countess of Dorset, at which day the Judges said, that the question in the case is only this, viz. if an office findes only, that A. was seised of a particular estate, and that the King granted the reversion &c. without shewing how, or other particular certainties, and so that, if such an office be good or not they said, that it is not easie to determine, for although it be good in the case of a common person, yet it will be greatly mischievous to the King, if by such offices his inheritance should be devided, in respect no Traveller can be to such an office, but yet they would not award the office to be void, but advised the Attorney of the wards to grant a special privilege to the heir general, who was the Countess of Dorset, Salvo jure cujuslibet &c. and so in an Action at the Common Law, the Earl might trie his right and title, and not upon the validity of an office; and so it was done.

The King against the Earl of Not- tingham and others.

Between the King by English Bill, and the Earl of Nottingham and others Defendants, but concerned Sir Robert Dudley in interest, and was as followeth viz. Sir Robert Dudley intending to travel beyond the Seas, did by indenture enrolled the 10th. of June, for a valuable consideration expressed, but none paid, convey the Manor of Killingworth amongst other lands to the Earl of Nottingham &c. in fee, but the Bargaines were not privy unto the Deed nor till afterwards, and in the Deed there was a proviso, that upon the tender of an Angel of Gold all should be void, and covenants on the part of the Bargaines, that they should make all such estates as Sir Robert Dudley appointed, and after Sir Robert Dudley by licence from the King Travelled beyond the Seas to Venice, and after the Bargaines made a lease to Sir Robert Lee, to the intent, that the Lady Dudley should take the profits of part thereof, for ten years, if the estate of the Bargaines should continue so long unrevoked, and after the King having notice of divers abuses made by the said Sir Robert Dudley in the parts beyond the Seas, commanded the said Sir Robert Dudley by privy Seal delivered unto him the 10th. of April in the 5th. year upon pain of forfeiture of all his lands and fortunes to return again immediately &c. and after a Commission issued forth to inquire what lands and Tenements &c. Sir Robert Dudley had, or others for him in use, or upon confidence, and the Jury found this special mat-
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etc. but found not any fraud expressly: and thereupon the King exhibited his Bill here, against the Bargainers, and also against Sir Robert Lee their Lesser, who truly discovered all this special matter, and that they were not knowing of the Dred until long time after making of it, and that no consideration was given by them in this case, for the lands so bargained: and it was argued by Sir Henry Mountague Recorder of London for the King, if these lands should be seized or not, he conceived that there are three things considerable in the case. First, the contempt of Sir Robert Dudley in his not returning upon the sight of the privy Seal, and of what quality this offence is. Secondly, what interest the King had by this offence in the land of Sir Robert Dudley being the offender. Thirdly, if notwithstanding these offences, these lands ought to be seized for the King; touching the first point he said, that it is requisite to examine, if a subject at the Common Law may go beyond the Seas without Licence, and in what cases the Law allows a man to go out of the Realm without Licence, and as to that he said, that it appears by the reason in the 12th. of Eliz. Dyer, that at the Common Law every man may go out of the Realm; but the Statute of the 5. Richard 2. restraineth all but Merchants, noble men, and Souldiers, and as he conceived this was but an affirmation of the Common Law, notwithstanding the Book before cited: and to prove that, he said that the opinion of Dyer in the first Eliz. fo. 165. seemeth to agree: also it is proved by divers Licences granted before this Statute; see F. N. B. fo. 85. in the writ de securitate inveniendā, quod Se non divertat ad partes externas sine licentia regis, according to the 12. Eliz. in Dyer: and he further said, that there are two reasons to prove, that no man may go beyond the Sea without Licence at the Common Law, for by 2. E. 3. and the 16. E. 3. and Glanvill in his Chap. of Essoynes, by such means the Subjects may be deprived of their suits for debt, and also the King may be deprived of the attendance of his subject about the business of State, and it appears by the Register fo. 193. & 194. that religious persons purchased licences to go beyond the Seas, and it appears by Littleton in the Chap. of confirmation, that a dissent takes not away an entry of him who is beyond the Sea, except it be by the Kings commandment, see the case intended by Littleton in the Chap. of Continual claim, there it seems to be a doubt to Littleton; then he argued further, if the Common Law alloweth not a subject to go beyond the sea without licence, but reputes it a great contempt, this is a great contempt in him, who will not return by the Kings command, and the Law hath alwayes punished such contempt, as it appears by Dyer fo. 28. & 177. & 19. E. 2. John de Brittons Case: also there is a precedent for seizure of all his lands for such contempt, and he vouched the book what the King had done, where he cited, that the Prior of Oswaldshire forfeited all his lands and possessions for such contempt, and so concluded the first point of the quality of the offence, and spoke nothing of the licence which Sir Robert Dudley had of the King at the time, the which as it seemeth was not expired, nor the power which the King had to Countermand it within the time, to which the Attorney general in his argument did speak: to the Second point it seemeth, that the contempt giveth such an interest to the King, that he shall retain the land until conformity, for he who dwelleth in contempt, ought not to have any possessions here, and he cited the 22. H. 6. and the 21. H. 7. and divers other books which are cited in Calvins Case Cook lib. 7. also he said, that there is a difference; where the King is offended as King of England, and where as head of the Kingdome, as this case is, which is a greater offence in qualitie; then for any offence for which men should lose their lives, as if they should stand mute upon their arraignment &c. also there is a great difference between this contempt, and by outlawry, and therefore in case of outlawry, he needs no officer, but the King is only intitled to the profits of his lands, which is but a transitory Chattel, in which case an office is not necessary, but where an interest comes to the King, there ought to be an office, and he vouched Pages Case in Cook lib. 5. and Sir Wil-

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liam Herberts Case, but he did not endeavour to prove what interest came to the King in this case, for when an interest comes to the King, there ought to be an office; as to the second point he said, that trust between parties is fraud, as to the King, and in this case the badges of fraud are found by the office. First, his purpose to go beyond the Seas. Secondly, his Barganees are not privy to the Deeds. Thirdly, no summe was paid by them. Fourthly, here is a power of Revocation. Fifthly, covenants to execute all grants, as Sir Robert Dudley appointed. Sixthly, the subsequent Act, that is, viz. his Raying beyond the Seas, and his not returning upon the Kings command, and although in this case there be no fraud in the parties who are Barganees, and so the fraud is only of one partie, yet it appeareth by the 19. of H. 8. 12. that if an infant hath right to land, and a stranger disseise the Tenant to the intent to infeoffe the infant without Covin in the infant, yet the infant shall not be remitted, and he vouched Delamores case in Howden to be accordingly: also there are divers cases in our books to prove the inheritance barred, which our law beareth to all Acts which are fraudulent, and therefore in 44. E. 3. & 41. Assise pla. 28. it appears that a recovery upon a good title, although it be in Dower, which is favoured in Law against a Tenant, who comes to the land by Toxt and Covin is void, which cases and many other you may see in Farmors case Cook lib. 3. and the 12. Eliz. Dyer fo. 294. and as it is said in Twines Case Cook lib. 3. all frauds are covered with trust expressed, or implied, and here is an express trust, and he vouched also Cook lib. 5. Gooches Case, and also Englefields case, and Pouncefoots case cited in Twines case Cook l. 3. fo. 83. also he said, that this conveyance being void by reason of the fraud, by the Law it is more clear, that it shall be decreed to be void, here the Deed being in court and course of equity, and therefore he said, that it hath been decreed in this Court for equity, that if a man outlawed taketh bonds in the name of another, that they shall be forfeited to the King: also it hath been decreed in Venables Case, that where a widow upon good devotion had devised great summes of money, for the relief and sustentance of poor silenced Ministers and Preachers, for not subscribing to the Commons &c. to be ordered and paid to them by the discretion of the Executors, that the money should be disposed for the maintenance of poor conformable Ministers, by the discretion of the Executors, and not to them who refused to subscribe, for when a thing is disposed, to maintain contempt and disobedience in any, this ought to be ordered and disposed by the Court to a contrary end and use; and so in the principal case, in so much that the conveyance was made by Sir Robert Dudley, for the maintenance of himself in contempt, and for the maintenance of his wife and other uses, this by the rules of equity shall be decreed to be void, and in regard the King is offended by the contempt, he ought to have means to punish it, and so he prayed that it may be decreed for the King. Hutton Serjeant the same day to the contrary, and he argued first, that this confidence is as an use at the Common Law, which was not forfeitable: and secondly, admit that this conveyance be fraudulent, yet it is not now to be avoided: and these are the grounds whereupon he would insist in the maintenance of his conveyance against the King; but first, as to that which hath been said, that at the Common Law a man could not go beyond the Sea without the Kings licence, he said, that he thought the contrary; for it appears plainly by the book 12. Eliz. Dyer fo. 296. and F. N. B. cited accordingly, that any man may go beyond the Sea to travail, except there be a proclamation, or a writ of ne exeat Regnum to restrain him, so that he agreed, that every man was prohibitable before his going, or after by recalling, but without a prohibition or recalling his departure was no offence: but he agreed, that if a man be prohibited, or recalled, that for this contempt his lands ought to be seised, and that the King hath interest to dispose of them, as it is proved by the president of John de Britanies case, in the 19. E. 2. and vouched in the 2. Ma. Dyer 128. and this is also proved by other presidents, and authorities, as 39. Assise pla. 1. where

it appears, that for a contempt of the Arch-Bishop of Canterbury, for not executing of the Kings writ, that the King seized his lands, and held them during the life of the Arch-Bishop, and also Englefields case in Cook lib. 7. proveth that the King hath power to seize and dispose for such a contempt, and therefore he would not argue, what interest the King should have by such seizure, but for the matters which he intended. First, he thought clearly, that this confidence betwixt the Bargainor, and the Bargainee was as an use at the Common Law, and that cestuy que use, should not forfeit this use at the Common Law, is directly proved by 11. H. 4. fo. 52. where without an express Statute, an use was not forfeited as he said, and he vouched accordingly, 5. E. 4. fo. 7. where it appeareth that cestuy que use, shall not forfeit the land at the Common Law, and the reason is, because that it is subject to the forfeiture of the Donees, and it is inconvenient, that the same land should be subject to several forfeitures at the same time by several men, viz. the Bargainor and the Bargainees, and he said, although that these uses were begotten by fraud, as it appears in our books, see Chudleys case, Cook lib. 1. yet in so much, that without an express Statute they were not forfeitable, by the same reason a trust or confidence is not forfeitable (although they are begotten by fraud) without a special Act of Parliament: also in our case there are not any Badges of fraud, but only as a trust betwixt the Bargainees, and that a bargain and trust may be without fraud, although the Bargainor continue possession against his Bargainee, which is another argument, that there is no fraud in the case, and the estates after made to the Tenants now in possession, viz. Sir Robert Lee &c. for the Bargainees were not made by the appointment of the Bargainor, but of their own head: also he said, that if here be any fraud, it is matter of fact, whereof the Jurors ought to have inquired, and the Jury here have found no fraud, and to prove that the fraud ought to be found by the Jury, he vouched Wardenfords case 2. & 3. of Eliz. Dyer 193. & 267. where it is also said, that although a fraud be found by the Jury, yet if it be found specially not to defraud the King, but the Creditors, then the conveyance shall be good against the King, and so he concluded the first point. Secondly, admit that it was found, that this conveyance was fraudulent, yet it is not void against the King, for it seemed to him, it shall be avoided by fraud only, by those who have an ancient right or ancient dury, and if in this case there were any fraud, this was long time before any title or right accreted to the King, for that was two years after this conveyance, and to prove it, he vouched Upton and Bassers case cited in Twins case, in Cook lib. 3. there it is said expressly, that a conveyance by fraud is void only in respect of an ancient title: see 22. Affile pla. 72. accordingly; but the Statute of 27. Eliz. makes such a conveyance void, to those who have a present right, if there were a valuable consideration as is not in our case; and therefore we are out of this Statute: and also he said, that he agreed the case cited of the other part, if a man outlawed purchase goods, or takes an obligation in trust, the King shall have them, for this is by the Statute of the 3. H. 7. cap. 4. but this concerns not land, and therefore we are at the Common Law, and as a Statute was requisite to be made, to make an use forfeitable, which was not forfeitable at the Common Law, it is also to make an obligation in the name of another to be forfeitable, although it was not at the Common Law, so if we will have a confidence or a trust to be forfeited: we ought to have a Statute made to this purpose, and as to Pauncefoots case he said, that the King had a title by the indictment of recusancy, before the conveyance made by Pauncefoots; but so it is not in our case, whereby appeareth a plain difference betwixt the cases; see the 14. H. 8. fo. 8. the Attorney general to the contrary at another day, and first he spake to the quality of the offence viz. the contempt, and this offence as he said, is aggravated by these circumstances. First, the command of the King himself came, and not of any inferior officer, as Sheriff &c. and it is immediately directed to the party himself. Secondly, the command is,

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that he shall return upon his faith and allegiance, which is the strongest compulsion that can be used. Thirdly, the thing required by the King, is the principal dutie of a subject, viz. to be at the command of the King for service, and not as the common summons in Law is to answer at the suit of I. S. and he said, that this contempt is to be accounted in quality of a contempt, from the very time when the privy Seal came to his hands, for the words quod indilate &c. and it hath been in all ages the course, and use to punish contempts of this kinde by seizing their lands, and he vouched in proof thereof, the presidents of John de Brittons case in 19. E. 2. and of Edward de woodstock, in the time of E. 2. and the case in 2. Ma. Dyer fo. 128. & 2. Eliz. Dyer Barners case fo. 176. and 23. Eliz. Dyer 375. and Englefields case Cook lib. 7. moreover he argued in so much it is clear, that the King shall seize his lands for this contempt, it is to be considered what estate of interest the King shall gain by this seizure, and as to that he thought, that the King hath an estate at the least; for the life of the offender, and that he conceived is proved by the presidents, for these words are used in the seizure &c. donec aliter duxerimus ordinandum &c. and he said that this is proved by Englefields case, and also by the way and manner of the seizure, and disposing of the land for such contempt: in 23. Eliz. Dyer 375. by the Statute of 13. and 14. Eliz. made against fugitives; also he used this reason to prove, that the King had an estate for life, viz. because the offender by this contempt, had impliedly referred his land, and left it to the Kings dispose, and then it is all one, as if he granted the land to the King to hold, and use as long as he pleaseth, and such an expresse grant will create an estate for life in the King; as is proved by 35. H. 6. where it is agreed, that if I give land to A. as long as he will, this is an estate for life, and so here by this implied Act &c. also as to that that may be pretended in this case, that the King granted licence in this case to Sir Robert Dudley, to travel for a time certain, which time is not yet expired, and therefore the contempt qualified, or satisfied by reason of this licence: to that he said, that notwithstanding that was the case, yet the contempt is all one, as if he had no licence at all, in regard it is countermanded by the privy Seal, which injoyns him to return, and to prove that this licence is alwayes countermandable by the King; he said, that besides the common usage and obedience of countermands of this kinde, he said, that it was to be proved by reason also and authority of our books; for although here be a licence indeed; yet there is great aduersitie between a licence indeed which giveth interest, and a licence indeed which giveth only an authoritie, or dispensation, as in our case, for the one is not to be countermanded, but the other is, as appeareth by 5. H. 7. and 1. Ma. Dyer 92 and admit, that after this licence, and before the departure of Sir Robert Dudley, the King had said unto him, you shall not go, this had been a good countermand, as seemed to him, and he vouched 9. E. 4. 4. and 8. E. 4. if I licence A. to stay in my house for three dayes, yet I may put him out in the mean time, but otherwise it is, if I licence A. to hold my land for 3. dayes, because there an interest passeth, and the reason wherefore this licence in our case is countermandable, is because all licences of this kinde have tacite conditions annexed to them, for no Act of licence will free a subject from his allegiance, as appeareth by Doctor Stories case in the 13. Eliz. Dyer fo. 300. and no man can put off or be dismissed of duties which belong to a subject, no more then he can put off his subjection, and this is the reason that an honor or dignitie intailed, ought to be forfeited, although it be intailed; for the honor which is given by the King hath a tacite condition in Law annexed unto it, and it ought not to continue in him who committeth Treason, nor in his posteritie, although that the partie had but an estate tail therein; see Nevells case Cook lib. 7. and so had the King his licence, which is but a dispensation for the time, and countermandable by the King, and he said, that the Book in 2. Eliz. Dyer fo. 176. makes it a doubt, but he thought it clear for the reasons aforesaid: and as to the material point, viz. if this land shall be privileged from seizure by reason

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of this bargain or not, and he said, that it shall not be privileged, for this conveyance which is revokable at the will of the Bargainor is merely fraudulent against any interest of forfeiture, for otherwise the Kings subjects are but as fera natura, which when they are out of their pale, the King had no means to reduce them, within the Park again; for in this case had no means directly to punish this offence upon the body of the offender, but by the depriving him of the means of his maintenance, and although there be no fraud here in the parties Bargainees, yet the fraud in the Bargainor makes the conveyance void against the King; for as it appeareth by our books, the King cannot be an instrument of fraud, although he may be party thereunto; see 17. and 21. E. 3. so in the case of an infant cited before by Mountague, all which and many others to this purpose of fraud are cited in Farmers case Cook lib. 3. fo. 48. and whereas it was objected, that here can be no fraud intended in the offender, in regard he had a licence to travel, and it cannot be intended, that he presupposed any countermand of this licence, and to commit a contempt by his refusing to return, and so to save his lands by this conveyance, in respect this countermand is a thing whereof he could not have divined, to that I answer, that the contempt subsequent is a sufficient proof of such precedent conjecture, and that the conveyance was made fraudulently to prevent the prejudice, which might accrue unto him by such contempt, and this opinion will appear by the makers of the Statute of 13. Eliz. cap. 3. and 14. Eliz. cap. 6. made against fugitives, and may well be collected upon the perusal of those Statutes, and that the Judges here ought to make such construction, upon the subsequent Act; he vouched the case of Doctor Ellis in Plowden, and Saunders case in the matters of the Crown, happening at Salop, by which cases it appeareth, that the Judges proved the first intent by secondary Actions subsequent by way of discourse, and therefore in Saunders case, the partie having an express intent to poison his wife, delivered unto her a poisoned apple, and the wife not knowing it to be poisoned, gave it to her child, who died thereof: there the indictment against Saunders was that of malice forethought &c. he intended to murder the child, although this was not his first intention, so in the other case there cited; if a man intends only the death of A. and being fighting with him, be a stranger interposeth himself to part the affray and he is slain, this is wilful murder, although here was no primer intent to kill B. but this is made an intention by legal collection; and so in our case, here is intentio legalis and not actualis, and yet as well unavoidable as any other; also although it hath been objected, that by the common Law none shall avoid a conveyance by reason of fraud, except he who hath a former interest, and the Statutes give no authority to any, but to purchasers, upon valuable consideration, yet I say, that the Statute of 13. Eliz. is to avoid all fraudulent conveyances, against such as by any means may be hindered thereby, yet the intention was not to defraud the partie, who is thereby defrauded; but some other, and therefore although it was not to defraud the King in our case, yet being fraudulent it is void against him by this Statute, for he should be hindered thereby: also the proviso in this Statute saveth such conveyances on'y, which are upon good consideration, and bona fide, and that is such wherein simple and plain dealing are used, but in this conveyance there was not any simple and plain dealing used, for the Bargainees paid no money, nor ought to take no profits of the land, nor dispose of any estate therein; and therefore fraud, for Dolus est Machinatio cum Alio dissimulat, aliud agit: also the preamble of the Statute of the 27. Eliz. willett that conveyances shall be void which are made to the use of him, who maketh the conveyance, or otherwise to defraud purchasers, although that the body of the Act mentioneth such only, which are to defraud purchasers; and he vouched the Statute of the 28. Eliz. made against conveyances by resumption, and he said, that Twines case in Cook lib. 3. proveth our case effectually to be a void conveyance which cannot be answered; but the Kings Treasurer said, that there was fraud in both parties, and he argued further

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further, and vouched Goodales case Cook lib. 5. to prove that a Deed shall not be deemed to be good, except it be free from all fraud or clandestine agreement, as it was there resolved, that the payment for performance of a condition was not good, as to strangers, by reason of a precedent agreement, and Burrels case Cook lib. 6, where it appeareth, that no fraud shall be accounted bona fide, as to strangers which is accompanied with trust &c. also although here is not any fraud expressly found by the office, yet he thought, that the equity of the case appears plainly: and that it shall be for the King, and he vouched divers decrees in this Court to prove it, as 43. Eliz. Howse was outlawed and took divers bonds of Carne in the names of others his friends, viz. of Marlow, and others in trust, also took Statutes in their names in trust, and it was decreed here, that the King should have all, by reason of the fraud, although it be not found by any office, and in Hoards case it was decreed here, that whereas the said Hoard betwixt the years of 25. and 32. had lent divers summes of money to Sheldon of Bealie, and had taken divers obligations, and other securities of him in others names before his conviction, yet it was decreed to the King in this Court without any fraud found by office; and in Sir Walter Raughlies case the same year decreed in this Court, that whereas Sir Walter Raughlie being possessed of a term of 100. years of

he having a determination to purchase the reversion in fee of the same land, conveyed his Term to his eldest son to the intent it should not be drowned; and therefore about 40. Eliz. he purchased the fee, and after in the year &c. of our King that now is, he committed Treason, and was attainted, and it was decreed here, that the King should have the land discharged of this lease, viz. in possession, and although no fraud be found in the case, but only it appeareth by circumstances of witnesses here examined, that Sir Walter Raughley took the profits of the land, and held Courts in his own name until the attainder, yet the said assignment was conceived to be in trust, and therefore decreed to be void against the King as for fraud, although he was convicted of Treason a long time after, and so the Kings title, subsequent to the said assignment; and he vouched Walter de Chirtons case in 24. E. 3. Rot. 4. also as to Mr. Wardenfords case in 2. and 3. Eliz. Dyer 193. and the 9 and 10. of Eliz. Dyer 167. but our case is different from them in two material circumstances which alter the law in the cases. First, we are in a Court of equitie by English Bill, where the Judges are only to adjudge upon the fraud, and there they were in a Court of Law, and the fraud was the matter of fact, which ought to be expressly found by the Jury, as appears by the books. Secondly, in that case the Jury found expressly, that the conveyance was not by fraud to deceive the King of his wardship, but only to deceive the Creditors &c. but in our case there is no such negative, and therefore it differeth much: see Dyer 267. and 268. as to the finding in the negative: at another day in the same Term of Easter 7. Jac. the Barons decreed for the King, and the Lord Treasurer agreed, and he then demanded of Tanfield chief Baron, if upon the return of Sir Robert Dudley he ought to have his lands again of right, or if but upon special grace, and the Lord chief Baron answered, that he should have them of right: see Bartues case in Dyer, but the Lord Treasurer said, that he saw no reason to satisfy himself thereof.

Doillie against Joiliffe.

DOillie Plaintiff against Joiliffe in an Action upon the case, for false imprisonment of the Plaintiffs wife, the case was, that Leonard Lovies was formerly Plaintiff in an action in the Common Pleas, against Julian Goddard a feme sole, and in this action the Plaintiff and Defendant were at issue: and a venire facias was awarded, and before the return thereof; the said Julian took to husband Doillie now Plaintiff, and after upon a special verdict found in the suit, judgement

judgement was given in the Common Pleas for the ſaid Julian againſt the ſaid Leonard, upon which judgement Leonard brought error in the Kings Bench, and a ſcire facias was awarded againſt Julian by the name of Julian Goddard as a feme ſole, and ſhe appeared by Attorney as a feme ſole, and this (as the Defendant ſaid in his answer) was by the conſent of her husband now Plaintiff, and after judgement was given to reverse the judgement in the Common Pleas, and the error of that judgement (as it was pleaded by the Defendant here) was, quod prædict Leonard Lovies recuperet &c. verſus prædict. Julianam &c. and coſts and damages were taxed &c. upon which judgement the ſaid Lovies ſued a Capias ad ſatisfaciendum againſt Julian Goddard, and by virtue of that writ the Defendant here the Sheriff of Devon. took the ſaid Julian being the Plaintiffs wife, and impriſoned her until the Plaintiff paid 10. l. which was the coſt taxed by the Kings Bench for her deliverance, upon which impriſonment the husband only hath brought his action againſt the Defendant being Sheriff: Davenport of Grayes Inne argued for the Defendant; and firſt he thought, that between the parties to the error, and the firſt action in the Common Pleas there is an eſtoppel, and admittance, that the ſaid Julian continued a feme ſole, for the proceſs in the proceedings ought to be as it was in the Original, and he vouched 18. Aſſiſe pla. 16. by which book it appears, that if a man bring an aſſiſe for lands in the Countie of O. and the Tenants plead a Common recovery of the ſame land in the Common Pleas, this doth conclude the partie to ſay, that the lands did lie elſe where &c. alſo if an original be depending, and before the firſt Capias, or proceſs awarded the Defendant intermarrieth, and after a capias iſſueth againſt her as a feme ſole, this is well awarded, lib. 5. E. 4. 16. and alſo 5. E. 3. fo. 9. and 10. alſo he ſaid, that ſuch a thing as is done between the plea, and not after the judgement is not material to alter the proceedings in that courſe it was begun, for the ſame partie againſt whom judgement is given, ſhall error have againſt him for whom the judgement is given, except ſhe had married after the judgement, for then he agreed, that the writ of error ſhall be brought by the husband and wife, in caſe judgement had been given againſt the wife while ſhe was ſole, 35. H. 6. fo. 31. and 12. Aſſiſe pla. 41. and it alſo appears by 18. E. 4. fo. 3. if Treſpas be brought againſt a married wife as againſt a feme ſole, and ſhe appears as a feme ſole, and judgement is given, and execution accordingly, this is good until it be reversed by error, and the Sheriff in ſuch caſe never ought to examine if it be evil or not, no more then if Treſpas be brought againſt A. my ſervant, by the name of B. and A. is taken in execution, the Maſter ſhall not take benefit of this miſnaming, admitting that A. ſhould puniſh the Sheriff for it; alſo he vouched one Shotbolts caſe 10. and 11. Eliz. Dyer and 15. Eliz. Dyer 318. in the Earl of Kents caſe, which prove that the Sheriff is to be excuſed, for taking me by a falſe name, and if the Judges admit this falſe name, yet this judicial writ ought not to be examined by the Sheriff, and it was adjourned.

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Shofibey againſt Waller and Bromley.

Shofibey brought an action upon the caſe againſt Waller and Bromley, and declared that the Defendants conſpired, that the ſaid Bromley ſhould commence a ſuit againſt the Plaintiff, and that the Plaintiff was then worth 5000. l. and that he was then dwelling in Middleſex, and that the Defendants knowing thereof, maliciously and falſely agreed, that the ſaid Bromley ſhould lay his action in London, and proſecute it until the Plaintiff were outlawed in the ſaid ſuit, to the intent that his goods ſhould be forfeited to the King, and after in performance of the agreement aforeſaid; the Plaintiff ſuggeſted, that he was dwelling in London, and laid his action here, which was proſecuted until the Plaintiff here was outlawed, to his damage &c. Tanfield chief Baron thought, that if the ſuggeſtion was by

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Bromley, to make the process into a wrong County, it seemed that the Action should lie against him only; but in regard it is shewed in the Declaration, that the said suggestion was made by him in performance of the precedent agreement that the action lieth against both, which the Court granted. Godfrey in this action moved in arrest of judgement, and that for two causes, the action lieth not upon the matter here, it appears by the 4. Eliz. Dyer 214. that a man may lay his action wherein an outlawry lies in London, and then by the Statute of 6. H. 8. cap. 4. proclamation shall issue into the Countie where he dwelleth, therefore the suing of him in another Countie is no such act, wherefore an action should be brought, no more then if before the Statute of W. 2. cap. 12. a man had brought an appeal Maliciose, yet no remedy before the said Statute, as appears in the 13. H. 7. in Kellawaies case, because it was lawful to bring an appeal, and so notwithstanding the said Statute no action did lie against him who brought an appeal if it abated 9. H. 5. cap. 1. also the Statute of the 18. H. 6. provideth remedy for false appeals or judgement in another Countie maliciose &c. by action of the case whereby it appeareth, that in such case the Common Law allowed no action: also the Statute of the 18. H. 6. provideth another remedy then that Statute; and therefore no action lies against us no more then in the case aforesaid at the Common Law. Secondly, here is no issue joyned, if the Defendants be guiltie of the execution of this practice, but only if they be guiltie of the agreement, and this is found for the Plaintiff; but clearly such agreement without execution giveth no cause of action, and the word Practizatiōe comprehendeth only the going about, and not the executing of this conspiracy, and therefore the issue should have been general if the Defendants be guiltie or not, and therefore he prayed judgement might be stayed; and he cited Owen Woods case in Cook. lib. 4. Tanfield chief Baron, it is true, that the issue should be better, if it were general not guiltie of the Trespass aforesaid, but yet it is good enough in this case, for the special words comprehend as much as the words not guiltie of the practice, and agreement aforesaid &c. and the word Practizatiōe comprehendeth alwel the subsequent Acts of execution, as the precedent combination; and therefore Tantamounts a general issue, and it was good by the Court: and as to the action Alcham Baron conceived that it lieth, although it be for a lawful cause, for the Law abhorreth fraud, and conspiracy, as if two conspire to vex me for my land by suit, an action lieth F. N. B. yet it is lawful for every man to sue me without title, and he vouched 16. Assise, and here it is said, that the Defendants indevoured to make the Plaintiff forfeit his goods, which are worth 5000. l. and this is reasonable that it should lie, and 9. E. 2. Fitz. discentis 52. is our case directly upon the matter, and therefore it seemeth to me that it lies. Tanfield chief Baron said, that 9. E. 2. crosseth this case in part, and yet he thought that the action lies, to which Snig agreed, and it seemed the cases of appeal put by Godfrey did lie well enough without aid of the Statute of W. 2. if there be such a conspiracy. Tanfield chief Baron accordingly, if it be legally thought without cause, yet if without conspiracy the action lieth not for it, as it appears in Owen Woods case Cook lib. 4. and in all cases, where strangers have nothing to do with the suit brought for the conspiracy, and yet combine with the Plaintiff in the suit, an action upon the case lieth for this vexation, and judgement was entred for the Plaintiff by the Court.

An inquisition for the King was returned here, and it was found that Fleetwood the Kings debtor, for his office of receiver for the Court of Wardes did purchase a certain Term, and interest of, and in the rectory of Yeading for others years then to come, and that being so possessed he became indebted to the King, and that this term is now in the hands of the Lady Edmonds, and by colour of this inquisition the land is extended for the Kings debt. Harris Serjeant moved, that this inquisition is insufficient to extend the land, but good to sell a term, and he

he bouched Palmers case Cook lib. 4. to which the Court inclined, but it was adjourned. Pasch. 7. Jac. in the Exchequer.

If a Bishop becomes indebted to the King for a subsidy, and dieth, his successors shall not be charged upon the lands of the Bishoprick, but the executors of the predecessor, or his heirs, and if they have nothing the King shall lose it, as chief Baron Tanfield said, which the Court granted upon the motion of Bridgman, for the Bishop of Saint Davids.

Trallops case.

A Scire facias issued against Trallop the father, and Trallop the son to shew cause, wherefore they did not pay to the King 1000*l.* for the mean profits of certain lands, holden by them from his Majesty; for which land judgement was given for him in this Court, and the mean rates was found by inquisition, which returned, that the said mean profits came to 1000*l.* upon which inquisition this scire facias issued, whereupon the Sheriff returned Trallop the father dead; and Trallop the son now appeared, and pleaded that he took profits, but as a servant to his father, and by his commandment, and rendered an account to his father, for the said profits, and also the judgement for the said land was given against his father and him, for default of sufficient pleading, and not for the truth of the fact; and he shewed the Statute of the 33 H. 8. cap. 39. which as he pretended aided him for his equitie, whereupon the King demurred. Hitchcock for Trallop, seemed that the Statute did aid him by equity, and he moved two things, the one, that if here be such a debt, that the Statute intends to aid it; the other, if the Defendant hath shewed sufficient matter of equitie within the intent of the Act, and he thought, that it is such a debt as the Statute will aid, for although that here be an uncertainty of the time of the judgement given for the King, that being reduced to a certainty by the inquisition after, it shall be within the intent of the Statute, for id certum est quod certum reddi potest, and the words of the Statute are, if any judgement be given for any debt or duty &c. and here although that there was no certainty, unto how much these mean rates extended, at the time of the judgement given, yet it is clear, that it was a duty at the time of the judgement, and then it is within the Statute: also he said, that the words in the proviso of that Statute explain that the intent of the makers of the Act was so; for the words are for any thing for which the partie is chargeable, and the mean rates are a thing, for which he is chargeable: see Cook lib. 7. fo. 20. and the Lord Andersons case there fo. 22. as to the point of equitie there seem to be two causes. First, he shewed that he was but a servant to his father, and had given an account to him. Secondly, the judgement was given against him upon a point of mispleading. Tanfield chief Baron said, that the matter in equitie ought to be sufficiently proved, and here is nothing but the allegation of the partie, and the demurrer of Mr. Attorney for the King, and if this be in Law an admittance of the allegation; and so a sufficient proof within the Statute, it is to be advised upon, and for that point the case is but this, a scire facias issueth out of this Court, to have Execution of a recognizance which within this Act, ought by pretence and allegation of the Defendant to be discharged for matter in equitie, and the Defendant pleads his matter of equitie, and the King supposing this not to be equity within this Statute, demurreth in Law, whether that demurrer be a sufficient prooff of the allegation within the Statute or not, and it was adjourned.

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Cressley for the Plaintiff said, that the Plea in Bar is not good, because the Defendant justified by force of a Capias ad satisfaciendum, and pleads no return thereof, and moved that it is not justifiable without returning of the writ, but the Court seemed the plea to be good, notwithstanding that, but if it were a mean process, then it ought to be pleaded to be returned: see Cook lib. 5. Hoes case fol. 19. according to this diversity, Tanfield chief Baron thought that the Plaintiff shall recover; for first the writ of error here is not a writ, but a commission, and therefore false latten shall not abate it, as it hath been adjudged in the Exchequer chamber, and in this case the scire facias ad audiendum errores; and all the writ, and this scire facias in our case, ought to have been made against the said Julian, as against a married woman, and the writ of execution, which is the warrant to the Sheriff is not in such words as the judgement in the Kings Bench is upon which it is founded, viz. that he should take the aforesaid Julian &c. but that he take the said Julian Goddard, then the Sheriff shall not say in his defence, that all the proceeding in the writ of error was against the person, and aided himself by entrie in the roll of the Court, viz. quod pradiet. Julianum capiat &c. but he ought to rely only upon the writ, and if in this case he would save himself, then he should have inquired upon the delivery of the writ unto him by Lovies who was that Julian Goddard, and if thereupon Lovies had informed him, that it was Julian Doillie, then the Sheriff should have an action upon the case against Lovies upon this false information, viz. if A. prosecute a replevin to replevy his Cattle, and thereupon he cause the Sheriff to deliver unto him the Cattle of B. for this here B. hath his remedy against the Sheriff, and the Sheriff against A. for this false information: also he said, that if a fieri facias cometh to make execution of the goods of B. if the Sheriff take others goods in execution, a Trespass lieth, and therefore to secure himself, he ought to impanel an inquest, to finde if they be the goods of B. or not, and then as he conceived it is good; but the opinion of the Judges in the Kings Bench, in Mich. 5. Jac. in Trespass between Rookwood and Beal was to the contrary; for there a Trespass was brought by Rookwood, and the Defendant justified the taking and so forth, as Sheriff by vertue of a fieri facias, as of the goods of Edward Rookwood father of the Plaintiff, and upon the execution of this writ the Defendant impanelled a Jury, who found the goods to be the goods of the said Edward Rookwood, for which &c. the Plaintiff in the replication Traversed, that they were his goods absque hoc that the Jury found, that they were the goods of Edward Rookwood &c. whereby it seemeth that the finding of the Jury in this case is not material, and so the Court then conceived, therefore quare the opinion of Tanfield chief Baron in that point; and see the 17. E. 2. pt. 373. and 31. E. 3. Assise pla. 378. and 7. H. 4. fo. 27. Trespass pla. 279. what acts a Sheriff may justify by reason of a commandment and authoritie from the Court, which commanded him. Snig Baron seemed, that the action did lie, for the writ of capias ad satisfaciendum maketh no mention, that Julian Doillie is the same person against whom judgement was given in the Kings Bench, by the name of Julian Goddard, and although that the entrie in the Roll is against the said Julian &c. yet the writ is directed, that he should take Julian Goddard, and then the Sheriff had not done according to the writ in the taking of Julian Doillie, and he said, that if A. binde himself by the name of I. and judgement is given against him, by the name of I. without appearing in person, and execution is granted against him by the name of I. in this case

case an action lies against the Sheriff, if he take the said A. in execution; for it appears not to him that it is the same person; but for the other cause, it seemeth that the Plaintiff shall not have judgement, for the Sheriff is no such person, who ought to be privileged here, and therefore the Plaintiff should have his remedy else where, and he said, that such a case hath been reversed in the Exchequer Chamber for error; for the under-Sheriff is but an Attorney for a partie privileged, that is for the Sheriff, but all the Clerks of the Court, and the other Barons were against him in that, and also all the presidents. Alcham Baron had never heard it argued before, and therefore he respited his opinion till another day, at which day he said, that the arrest is not justifiable, and so for the matter an action well lieth, for by him the arrest ought to be in this case with a special recital, that whereas judgement was given and so forth; as in the 1. and 2. H. 6. if an Abbot hath judgement to recover, and after he is deposed, a scire facias lieth not against him as Abbot to reverse this judgement: and see 10. E. 4. a capias against A. the son of R. &c. see the 19. of H. 6. fo. 12. Summons against John S. &c. see 18. H. 8. fo. 1. a replevin was brought in the Countie Palatine against A. widow, and after she married D. and the plaint was removed into the Common Pleas mentioning her marriage &c. and so here the scire facias ought to mention all the special matter, and thereupon the writ of execution upon the reversal of the judgement, ought to be against Iulian Doillie, and not being so, the Sheriff is punishable &c. but it seemed to him, that in this action the wife ought to have joyned with her husband for the false imprisonment, or at the least, if the husband had brought the action alone, there ought to have been a special mention of the loss, which the husband particularly had sustained, as per quod consortium uxoris suae amisit, or otherwise clearly it lieth not for the husband alone, and he resembled this case to the cases in the 9th. of E. 4. fo. 51. 22. Assise pla. 87. 46. E. 3. fo. 3. where husband and wife ought to joyn in an action, or at the least the declaration ought to be special as aforesaid, and so are the books of the 20. H. 7. and Kellaway to be intended; and for this cause he thought the Plaintiff shall not have judgement here. Tanfield chief Baron as I conceived said unto him, that the writ ought to have been with a special averment, but a surmise ought to have been made against Iulian Doillie as he now is, for as the writ is, the Sheriff may safely return, she is not to be found, and thereupon &c. quare, if he intended the writ of scire facias ad audiendum errores, or the writ of execution awarded upon the judgement in the Kings Bench, for he did not mention any particularity of the writ, but it seemeth, that he intended the writ of execution, and then the surmise whereof Tanfield spoke, ought to be made upon the roll of the judgement, given upon the writ of error, and Tanfield chief Baron said, as to the joyning in action, that clearly for a battery made upon the wife, the husband and wife ought to joyn in the action, as the books are cited before by Baron Alcham; and so they ought to joyn in every action, to which the wife is intitled before marriage; but otherwise it is here, as he thought: and as to that which hath been said, that the declaration ought to have been special, viz. per quod consortium amisit uxoris suae, it seems that shall be necessarily intended, without shewing of it in the declaration; but in the case put by Alcham, if a man bring an action of false imprisonment of his servant, he need not shew whereby he lost his service &c. because peradventure he had no employment for him, this is good Law by him, but otherwise it is in the case of a wife, but yet he would be advised thereof, as of a thing not mentioned before. Alcham Baron, it may be intended, that the husband was also imprisoned with his wife, and so did not lose her company except it be shewed to the contrary, as well as it may be intended the Father had no employment for his servant, and after at the next Term Tanfield and Alcham Barons agreed, that the Declaration ought to be special as Alcham Baron conceived, or otherwise the wife ought to have joyned in the action, which had been better, for they said, that in all cases where the action is brought for such a

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matter for which the wife by possibility might have an action after the death of her husband, there they ought to joyn, and for this false imprisonment the wife may have an action after the death of her husband, and therefore they ought to joyn here. Snig and Bromley Barons, seemed prima facie, that the action lies well enough, when they joyn or when the husband alone bringeth it: and they bouched and Doillies Council said, that they have heard it to be adjudged in the Kings Bench 28. Eliz. in one Cholmies case, and 35. Eliz. in the Common Pleas, that an action lieth for the husband alone, for a battery made to his wife, and so they conceived it good; if they joyn or sever in the action, and therefore it was appointed, that the next Term the presidents should be shewed, and the case to be argued as to this point. Note, that Doillie perceiving the Law against him for this last point of matter, because his wife did not joyn, commenced his action of new in this Court, and this was in Trespass for the beating and imprisoning his wife, and in this case the husband and wife joyned, and declared to the damage of the husband and wife, and the like Plea was pleaded in Bar as was in the other action, and the recoꝝ thereof was read in Court Termino Pasch. 9. Jac. and then adjourned, and after, it was adjudged for the Plaintiff.

Wikes by English Bill in the Exche- quer Chamber Trin. 7. Jac.

In the Exchequer Chamber by English Bill this case was depending, and argued before all the Barons at Serjeants Inne in Fleetstreet, viz. the King exhibited an Information against Wikes for entering into others parcels of land, and Wikes pretending that he had good equitie prayed his relief by English Bill, in the Exchequer Chamber, and the case upon the said Bill was this: Graunt made a lease for years to one Somerfield and John Wintor in Trust, and for the benefit of the wife and Children of the lessor rendering rent, and after Wintor one of the Lesses, and also Graunt who was the Lessor, were attainted of the Gunpowder Treason, and Wikes married the wife of the Lessor, and entered, and upon this information he prayed relief in behalf of his wife and Children by this English Bill: and first it was agreed by all the Barons, that the King by the course of the Common Law had the moiety of the land, and no more by the attainder of Wintor, and that Somerfield the other Lessee, shall be Tenant in common with the King, but what remedy he should have if the King took all the profits they agreed not. Secondly, they agreed by the admittance of Wikes his Council, that the King as to the moiety which came to him, shall not be ordered in equity to perform the trust reposed in Wintor, for the wife of the Lessor, for the King cannot be seized to another mans use, no more can his estate be subject to any trust at this day, as the Attorney general had said clearly, which the Court granted: but Brock of Council with Wikes seemed not to be satisfied, but that the King ought to execute such trust by equity; but Tanfield chief Baron said, that before me at another day, you were content to be concluded, as to this point: that there is no equity against the King. Thirdly, it was debated, if in this case the King should have the other moiety, which was in Somerfield by equity, for clearly, if the lease had been made in trust, for the benefit of the Lessor himself, the King should have it by his attainder, and then what difference, it being made for the benefit of the wife of the person attainted, for her husband might have disposed of it, being a trust only of a Chattel as he might have done of a Chattel, whereof the wife was possessed, and he might have wholly released this trust, and by consequence he might forfeit it by his attainder; whereunto Snig and Alcham Barons agreed, and by Bromley his release shall binde but during his life: the Attorney general said, that he might release all. Brock it should be mischievous that

that his release of this trust, should bar the wife of her trust after her husband's death; for admit that a man make a lease to A. to the use of his wife for 100 years, if she shall so long live, and this for a jointure for his wife, can her husband prejudice her of this jointure by release of the trust, as if he should say no, and then a fortiori in the case here, for the trust is for the wife and children, and the trust for the children cannot be released by the father, and consequently not forfeited by him: by the Court there is no such Bill depending before us, which demands any thing for the King, and the Bill which is here exhibited by Wikes prapes nothing but one moiety of the term, viz. that which in Law belongs to Somerfield, which moiety by the Common Law we cannot take from him, and therefore we will leave you to sue in the Office of Pleas, according to the course of the Common Law in the name of Somerfield; and therefore they gave no resolution, if by equity the husband shall forfeit a trust, which he had for years in the right of his wife.

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Sir Thomas Overburies case was opened to be this, viz. Robert Winton was seised in fee of six Bullaries at Wich, and he covenanted to levy a fine of all his Bullaries, and that for 4. of the said Bullaries, this should be to the use of John Winton in tail, and for the other to the use of himself in fee with power of revocation, and after the said Winton levied a fine, sur connizance de droit come, ceo, only of four Bullaries, if this fine and the use of the estate passed thereby shall be directed by the covenant, it was the question, and it was moved for a doubt, what Bullarie that shall be intended; whereof the fine is not levied by reason of the incertaintie; quare, and it was adjourned.

Nota, that an estreat of divers fines imposed upon several indictments at the Quarter Sessions, for several Riots was sent into this Court, and the estreat here being mentioned not, for what offences the fines were imposed, and the records of the indictments were in the Crown office by a Certiorari; and the chief Baron Tanfield said, that the estreat was insufficient, and we ought not to send out Proses upon them, because they do not mention the quality of the offence, for which the fines were imposed, and therefore it may be discharged by Plea, yet if the estreat be not warranted by the indictment, so that the indictment is discharged, for insufficiency in the Kings Bench the Record thereof may be certified into the Chancery, and by mittimus transferred hither, and we may discharge the estreat: and Altham Baron agreed, that the partie grieved by such fine, upon an insufficient indictment may plead all this matter, and spare to remove the Record, and if the Kings Attorney will confess the plea to be true, it is as good as if the Record had been removed, which was not denied.

An Amercement for a by Law.

IT was moved for the King upon a lease holden for him, that I. S. was amerced 10. l. because he received a poor man to be his Tenant, who was chargable to the parish contrary to a pain made by the Township, and thereupon Proses issued out of this Court, and the Bailiff distrained, and I. S. brought Trespass, and it was said by the Barons, and ordered, that if I. S. will bring an action for the distraining, for this amercement be it lawfully imposed, or not, yet I. S. shall be restrained to sue in any other Court, but in this, and here he shall sue in the office of Pleas, if he will, for the Bailiff levied it as an officer of this Court, and for the matter Saig said, that if I. S. received a poor man into his house, against a by Law

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Law made in the Township, there is good cause of amercement; but by Tanfield it is nothing to us, that they have a custome to make by-Lawes hercin against a by Law made by us; also a leet of it self, hath no authority to make by Lawes, or such an order, but by custome it is good. Snig and Alcham Barons, it is good policy to make an order with a pain in a Leet, that no person shall receive any such Tenant as shall be chargable to the parish; but clearly the Steward cannot amerce one, for such a cause without an order with a pain made before.

Sir John Littletons case.

Sir John Littletons case was, that all the lands of a Monastery were granted unto one Dudley reserving 28. l. rent yearly for a Tenth of all the said land according to the Statute, and after Dudley granted the greater part of this land to Littleton, and that he had used upon the agreement made between Dudley and him, to pay 20. l. yearly for the Tenth of his part, and Dudley had used to pay 8. l. yearly for that which he retained, and after Dudley was attainted, whereupon his part of the said land came to the King, and now the Auditor would impose the charge for all the Tenth, upon Littleton, but by the Court, although the Tenth was Originally chargable, and leviabie upon all and every part of the land, yet it being apparant to them, that part thereof came to the Kings hands, it was ordered, that the land of Sir John Littleton should be discharged before the Auditor pro rata, and so it was, and Littleton to pay only 20. l. yearly.

Sweet and Beal.

Nora, that in Michaelmas Term 6. Jac. upon a special verdict, this case was depending in the Exchequer, viz. Anthony Brown devised a term to his wife, until the issue of the body of the Devisor accomplish the age of 18. years bringing up the said child. Provided, that if the devisor die without issue, that then the land shall go to the said wife for term of her life, paying to the sister of the Devisor 6. l. 13. s. 4. d. yearly, which he willed to be paid, at two feasts half yearly, and that if it be arrear, then it shall be lawful for the sister to distrain, and to detain the distress until it be paid, and the Jury found, that the devisor had issue at the time of his death, but that the said issue died before he accomplished the age of 18. years, and they found also, that the rent of 6. l. 13. s. 4. d. payable to the sister, was not paid at one day in which it was payable, and that no demand was made for it, and that Moil Beal who was the right heir, entred for the condition broken, and made a lease to the Plaintiff, who being outed by the wife, brought an Ejectione firme: and Chibborn of Lincolns Inne, argued that the entrie of the heir is lawful; first he said, when he devised to his wife, until his heir come to the age of 18. years, bringing up the said heir, if in this case the heir die within the said age, the state of the wife is determined, by reason that the education was the cause, the land should continue to the wife, and the cause being determined by the death of the heir, before the said age, therefore the estate is also determined, and upon that he vouched a case in Mich. 3. Jac. one Collins devised, that one Carpenter should have the over-sight, and managing of his land, until his son should attain the age of 5. years, and the son died before he attained the said age, and it was agreed, admitting, that Carpenter had by that deviser an interest, that it is now determined by the death of the heir: to the second matter, viz. when it is limited: that if the devisor die without issue, that then the wife shall have it, by that it seems to me, that the wife shall not have an estate for life, by these words, as our case, for at the time of the death of the devisor he had issue, so that it cannot be said, that he died without issue, although now we may say, that he is dead without

without issue: but in regard, that the words of the will are not performed, according to the proper intendment of them, the Judges ought not to make another construction, then according to the literal sence, the literal construction being properly the words to bear such a meaning, and this, as he said, may be proved by Wildes case in Cook lib. 6. but more strong is our case, because in a case which carrieth the land from the heir, there ought to be a strong and strict, and not a favourable construction made to the prejudice of the heir, and therefore he vouched a case between Scockwood and Sear, where a man devised part of his land to his wife for life, and another part of his land, until Michaelmas next ensuing his death, and further by the said will, he devised to his younger son all his lands not devised to his wife, and adjudged, that by the said words the younger son shall have only that parcel which was devised to the wife for life, and not that which was devised unto her till Michaelmas: and yet by Popham it appeareth that his intent was otherwise, viz. that all that should go to his younger son; so there ought not to be a strained construction made against the heir, and so in our case the words being, that if he die without issue &c. that then it shall go to his wife, herein as much as he had issue at the time of his death, it cannot be said that he died without issue, but that he is dead without issue, and this appeareth by the pleading in the Lord Bartleys case in Plowden, and he vouched also a case in the Kings Bench 4. Jac. between Miller and Robinson, where a man devised to Thomas his son, and if he die without issue having no son, there it was holden, that if the devisee had issue a son, yet if he had none at the time of his death, the devisee in the remainder shall have it, yet he was once a person having a son, and so in our case, there was a person who did not die without issue, and he vouched also the case of Bold and Mollinedx in 28. H. 8. Dyer fo. 15. 3. when a man deviseth to his wife for life, paying a yearly rent to his sister, and that if the rent be not paid, that the sister may distrain, it seems to me, that this is a conditional estate in the wife, notwithstanding the limitation of the distress, and he vouched 18. Eliz. in Dyer 348. which as he said proved the case expressly, for there in such a case it is adjudged, that the devisee of the rent may after demand thereof distrain, and yet the heir may enter for the not payment of the rent, although it were never demanded, so that the subsequent words of distraining do not qualifie the force of the condition, although there be there an express condition, and in our case but a condition implied, and he said, that it seemed reasonable, that such a construction for the distress and condition also shall stand, as appeareth by divers cases, that upon such words, the Law will allow a double remedy, and therefore he vouched Gravenors case in the Common Pleas, Hill. 36. Eliz. Rot. 1322. where a lease was made by Magdalen Colledge to husband and wife, so that if the husband alien that the lease shall be void, and provided that they do not make any under-tenants, and to this purpose he vouched the case of the Earl of Pembroke, cited in the Lord Cromwells case, Cook lib. 2. where the words amounted to a covenant and a condition, and if this word paying should not be construed to be a condition, then it were altogether void and idle, and such a construction ought not to be made in a will, and he conceived; that this rent ought to be paid by the wife, without any demand upon the pain of the condition; and therefore he vouched 22. H. 6. fo. 57. 14. E. 4. 21. E. 4. by Husley and 18. Eliz. Dyer 348. vouched before, and so it was resolved as he said, in the Court of Wards in Somings case, where a man made a devise paying a rent to a stranger, this ought to be paid without demand, and he said, that the Common case is proved, when a feoffment is made upon condition that the feoffee shall do an act to a stranger, this ought to be done in convenient time without request by the stranger; and so here it seemeth, although a demand ought to be made by the sister, yet the wife ought to give notice to the sister of the Legacy, so that she may make a demand; and therefore he vouched Warder and Downings case, where a man devised, that his eldest son upon entry should pay to the younger son such a summe of money, here the elder brother ought to give

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notice at what time he will enter, to the intent that the younger brother may be prohibited to make a demand. Edwards of the Inner Temple contrary. First, it seemeth, that by this limitation the wife ought to retain the land until the issue of the deviloy should have come to the age of 18. years, for this a time certain, and as it is construed upon such words in Borastons case, Cook lib. 3. that the Executors there have an interest certain, so it should be construed here, to refer to a certainty which is until the time by computation, that the issue should have attained to 18. years, and the rather in this case, in respect the deviloy had otherwise disposed of the land until the son should have accomplished the said age. Secondly, it seemeth, that the wife hath an estate for life, not conditional, in so much as the words are not joyned in the case, the 18. Eliz. Dyer hath been toucht: but that was upon an expresse condition, but here it is by implication, and the clause of distress taketh away the force of the implication, which otherwise might be thereupon inferred; and therefore in 5. Eliz. Dyer it appeareth, that the word *proviso* annexed to other words makes it no condition in judgement of Law, and so in 14. Eliz. Dyer 311. and he toucht also 18. Eliz. Dyer Greens case, that if a man devise lands to his friends, paying to his wife with a clause of distress, this is no condition as it is adjudged. Thirdly, it seemeth, that this summe to be paid to the sister is a rent, and therefore ought to be demanded, or otherwise in judgement of Law, the condition shall not be broken, and the 21. E. 4. the case of an obligation to perform covenants &c. and a case between Wentworth and Wentworth 37. Eliz. that a demand ought to be made for a rent, which is granted in lieu of Dower: for the wife brought a writ of Dower, for the land of her husband, the Tenant pleaded, that she accepted a rent out of the land in lieu of her Dower, and the wife replied, that the said rent was granted upon condition, that if it were not paid at certain dayes, that it should be void, and that she should have Dower of the land, and she said, that the rent was not paid at the dayes &c. but shewed not in her pleading, any demand to be made, and therefore it was holden evil pleading, for such a rent ought to be demanded, or otherwise the condition is not broken, and so here. Nota, that this case was appointed to be argued again, but after (as I heard) the Barons amongst themselves resolved to give judgement for the Defendant upon one point only, which was, that the estate of the wife of the deviloy is not determined until the issue should have come to the age of 18. years, and so none of the other points came now in question, and judgement was given as above-said.

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Nota, that in Mich. 6. Jac. upon a motion made by Mr. Nicholas Row of the Inner Temple, it appeared that an inquisition was returned in this Court, by force of a commission, whereby it was found, that one A. was seized of the Manor of D. and so being seized of the said A. was attainted of Treason in the Kings Bench, and of this should be a double matter of Record to trouble the King, so that the owner of the land shall be forced to his Petition, it was the question, and by the Court, in regard, that the record of the attainder is not in this Court, here is not in judgement of Law a double matter of Record, but if the attainder be removed into this Court, then that and the inquisition would make a double matter of Record, and the Attorney general moved, that when an office finds the attainder, that the party ought to plead no such record.

Worselin Mannings case.

A Information of intrusion was brought against Worselin Manning and others, and upon the opening of the evidence at the Bar, it appeared that Worsely Manning was an alien born, and that he was made a denizen by the King,

King, and the Charter of Denization had this proviso usual in such Charters of Denization, that the Denizen should do legal Homage, and that he should be obedient, and observe the Lawes of this Realm, and after by vertue of a Commission under the great Seal an office found, that the said Worselin after the Denization purchased the land in question, and it was found also by the same office, that the said Worselin never did legal Homage, and that he was not obedient to all the Lawes of this Realm, and there was an offer of demurrer upon the evidence, if the proviso makes the Patent of Denization conditional, and so for the not performance thereof, the Charter of Denization shall be void: and Harris thought clearly, that this proviso for the performance and observation of the Lawes doth not make the Patent conditional, but the intent only was, that if he do not observe them, then he shall forfeit the penalties therein appointed, to which the Court inclined, and after resolved accordingly.

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At another day it was moved in Mr. Rowes case, that the possession shall be awarded to the King, and in this case, Tanfield gave a Rule, that Mr. Row ought to plead to the inquisition, but no possession should be taken from him, for although that the attainor make a double Record, yet if the indictment of Treason be taken before Justices of the peace more then a year after the Treason committed, as in this case it was, and the partie is outlawed upon this indictment, and the inquisition findes this outlawry generally, yet this is no double matter of Record, for the outlawry is merely void upon the said indictment, because the indictment it self is void, and to prove that when an indictment is void, that is void as to all purposes; he touched Vauxes case Cook lib. 4. fo. 44. and 11. R. 2. and after in this case the Barons awarded proces to plead, but not to dispossess the partie.

Vaux against Austin and others.

A 12 Information by Vaux against Austin and others, that they did ingross a 1000. quarters of Corn, upon not guilty, the Jury found one of the Defendants guilty for 700. and not guilty for the residue, and found the others not guilty for all. Prideaux moved that judgement may be given to acquit the Defendants in this case, and he touched the 9th. of E. 3. fo. 1. and 14. E. 4. fo. 2. where an Information was brought for forgery, and proclaiming false deeds, and he was found not guilty of the proclaiming, and 3. Eliz. Dyer 189. in the Lord Brayes case put by the way, and therefore he said, that if there be an information upon the Statute of Usury against two, and the Jury found the contract to be but with one of them, both shall be acquitted, and also he touched Treports case in lib. 6. where a man declared of a lease made by two, where in Law it was only the lease of one, and the confirmation of the other, and therefore evil, 8. R. 2. cit. brief; and if judgement in this case should be given against one being in a joynt information, he could not plead it in Bar of another information for the same thing, and then he should be twice punished for one fault. Hitchcock to the contrary, the Defendants plead, that they nor any of them are guilty, and issue was joyned thereupon, and by him this case is not to be resembled, to the cases which have been put of joynt contracts, for here the parties commit several wrongs, and he said, if in a decies Tantum, against divers, if one be acquitted the other shall be condemned, and so in an action of Trespas, 37. H. 6. fo. 37. touching maintenance, and if in Trespas against two, one is found guilty for one part, and the other found guilty for the other part, and 40. E. 3. fo. 35. and 7. H. 6. 32. in trespass the Defendant pleads that John S. infeoffed him and R. S. and the Plaintiff saith, that he did not infeoff them, and the Jury found, that he infeoffed the Defendant, only in this case judgement ought to be given if either

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of them be guiltie, and therefore there is a difference between that and Wainwrights case, for the information was, for the joynt buying of butter and Cheese, but here the information is for ingrossing by way of buying, and so he prayed, that judgement may be given for the King. Tanfield chief Baron, if upon the Statute of Champertie, a man declares upon a joynt demise by two, and it is found, that one only made the demise, it was adjudged good, and by him this proves the case in question, and the Barons agreed it to be clear, that if a contract be alleged to be made with one of them, no judgement for usury ought to be given, but in the principal case all but Tanfield agreed, that several judgements may be given, for it is like unto a Trespass, and accordingly judgement was given in the principal case, against him who was found guiltie.

Nota, by Tanfield chief Baron, and all the Court, that where the Statute of the 23. Eliz. appointeth, that if any will inform against A. Reculant, and the Reculant be thereupon convicted, that the informer shall have one moiety, and the King shall have another, yet if a reculant be convicted according to the form of the Statute of 28. Eliz. by indictment, an informer can never have any advantage upon an information exhibited after, for the Statute of the 28. Eliz. altereth the course of Law, which was upon 23. Eliz. and no informer can have any advantage upon a conviction of Reculancy by indictment, after the Statute of the 28. Eliz. according to this opinion, there was a judgement now lately in the Common Pleas, as the chief Baron Tanfield said, but if a Reculant be not convicted of Reculancy, an informer may have advantage against him, according to the Statute of the 23. Eliz. notwithstanding any thing in the Statute of the 28. Eliz.

Jacksons Case.

Upon a motion made by Sir John Jackson in a suit by English Bill, between Jackson and another; Tanfield said, that it had been decreed in the Chancery, betwixt one Gore and Wiglesworth, that if A. agree with me to lease black-Acre for certain years to me, and after before he makes my lease according to his promise, he infeoffes B. of that Acre for a valuable consideration, and B. had notice of this promise, before the feofment made unto him, now B. should be compelled in the Chancery to make this lease to me, according to the promise, and by reason of his notice, and so the Court agreed upon a motion made in the like case, by the said Jackson, for as before the Statute of 27. H. 8. a feoffee upon valuable consideration, should be compellable in the Chancery to execute an use, whereof he had notice, so here.

Sir Edward Dimocks Case *argued before.*

Bromley the puisne Baron, thought judgement should be given for Sir Edward Dimock against the King, for the matter in Law he argued but three points. First, that the lease made to Queen Elizabeth in the year 26. is not good clearly without a matter of Record, for although that he agreed, that personal Chattels may be conveyed to the Queen without matter of Record, yet Chattels real can not, for they participate in divers qualities with inheritances and freeholds; and therefore if a man possess of a Term for years demiseth it to A. for life, the remainder over to B. that this is a good remainder, adjudged now lately in the Common Pleas, but otherwise it is of Chattels personal, as it appears by

37. H. 6. the case of the devise of a Grail. Secondly, the acknowledgement of Trin. 7. the lease before Commissioners, and the prayer of the Bishop to have it enrolled, makes it not a record before enrolment, for it appears by the 21. H. 7. that if the Sheriff by virtue of a writ doth any thing, yet it is no matter of Record, until it be returned, and so is the 9th. of Ed. 4. fo. 96. that if the Sheriff of a County enter Process of outlawry in the room of a Sheriff of another County, this is not a Record in judgement of Law, although that it be a thing recorded; and so he conceived, that it was no sufficient Record in regard the Commissioners have not certified this recognizance, and the prayer of the Bishop: Lessor in the life of the Lessee, and Lessor whereby as he said, he admitted, that if this were certified by the Commissioners in the life of the Lessor and Lessee, that then without enrolment this had been a sufficient record to intitle the Queen, who was Lessee. Thirdly, he argued that the enrolment subsequent in this case in time of the King that now is, maketh not the lease good, which was made to the Queen, for he thought that the interruptions hindered the operation of this lease (by interruptions) he meant the death of the Bishop, Lessor, and of the Queen Lessee as it seemeth, and the lease in possession of Sir Edward Dimock by force thereof without enrolment, and therefore he said it was adjudged, if a man covenant to stand seized to the use of his wife which shall be, and there he makes a lease of the land, and then takes a wife, this lease by him is such an interruption, that the use shall not arise to the wife, but in Wintors case in Banco Regis 4. Jac. and also in Russels case, although it seemed to be there agreed, that the lease for years should be good; yet it was not resolved, but that the wife may have freehold well enough, by virtue of that Covenant, and he also vouched and agreed to Bree, and Rigdens case in Plowden Com. where the death of the devisee, before that the devisee died did frustrate the operation of the will, and so of the death of the Queen being Lessee: also he vouched the Duke of Somersets case 19. Eliz. Dyer 355. First, as to the exceptions taken to the Bar, by the Attorney general which were two, it seemed to him that notwithstanding them, the Bar is good, for whereas it was objected that the Bar is, that the Commission and acknowledgement of the lease were not returned by Hamond and Porter, who were the two Commissioners who returned it, to that he answered, that the information mentions the acknowledgement, and the return before them two, and therefore there needeth no answer to more then is within the information, also it cannot be intended to be returned by the other two Commissioners, in regard that they were only to the cognizance. Secondly, as to the other exception, viz. that where the information saith, that May Bishop of Carlisle by his certain writing of demise, had demised &c. for the Bar is, that the said Bishop made a certain writing purporting a demise, &c. that this shall not be intended the same writing mentioned in the information, and 6. E. b. Dyer 70. Ishams case for Hebrewers Park vouched in maintenance of this exception, and he said, that it cannot be intended, but that the Bar intends the same demise mentioned in the information, for here the lease mentioned in the information, and the lease mentioned in the Bar, agree in eight several circumstances, as it was observed by the Council of Sir Edward Dimock; see the argument of Bandrip, and 1. H. 6. fo. 6. where a scire facias was brought against I. S. the Sheriff returned, that according as the writ requires, he had made known to I. S. and doth not say, the within named I. S. Alcham Baron accordingly: as to the matters in Law, there are five points to be considered in the case. First, he said, that the making of the lease to the Queen without acknowledgement is not good, nor matter sufficient to intitle the Queen, and he vouched 5. E. 4. fo. 7. and 7. E. 4. fo. 16. 4. H. 7. fo. 16. 21. H. 7. fo. 18. 1. H. 7. 17. and 3. H. 7. 3. the same Law when awardship is granted; and so an use cannot be granted to the King, without matter of Record 6. E. 6. Dyer 74. that the Kings Lessee for years cannot surrender without matter of Record. Secondly, it seemeth that the confirmation of the Dean and Chapter is good, notwithstanding

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ing it wanteth inrolment, and notwithstanding the confirmation made before the inrolment, and so before the being of the lease, for here is only an assent of the Dean and Chapter, for the Bishop hath his land in right of his Bishoprick, and an assent may be as well before the lease as after, inasmuch no interest passeth: so also may an attornment be good, before a grant of the reversion, but otherwise it should be, if an express confirmation was requisite in the case, for then it had not been good, and this difference is, where the parties who confirm have an interest, and where they have only an assenting power, and this is well proved by 29. H. 8. Dyer 40. the Dean of Sarums case, and by Cook lib. 5. 81. and 33. H. 8. tit. confirmation. Thirdly, it seemeth, that the bare returning of the Commission without an express inrolment, is no sufficient matter of Record to intitle the King to the lease, for it is without inrolment, no more but an acknowledgement, and the Deed ought to be of Record to pass the estate 7. E. 4. fo. 16. but he agreed, that if the Commissioners return an acknowledgement of a debt, this is sufficient to make a debt upon Record, 2. H. 7. 10. but if Commissioners by a dedimus potestatem, to take Conizance of a fine, receive the Conizance of the fine, and return it, yet it is not a fine, until the final Concord be recorded. Cook lib. 5. Tayes case, and so here, it is no record until the inrolment. Fourthly, in regard there is no inrolment in the life of the Bishop, and so no perfect lease in his life, this can never be good, for this circumstance of inrolment, is as requisite to the essence, as the attornment is to the grant of a reversion, and is causa sine qua non, for the successor of the Bishop comes in paramount the Lessee, as the name in tail comes in, partly by force of the gift, and this is proved by the writ of de ingressu sine assensu Capituli in the Register, and therefore if the Bishop make a lease and die, this lease cannot be affirmed after his death, by the Chapter 33. E. 3. entry Congeable 79. 11. H. 7. and yet a lease made by the Bishop is not altogether void by his death, as it appears in Cook lib. 3. in Pennants case, and he compared this case to the case of Smith and Fuller in Plowden, where if a lease be made for so many years, as A. shall name, the years ought to be named certainly in the life of the Lessee, for otherwise it is not good clearly, and so here the Lessee ought to come in by the Bishop, who was Lessee, or otherwise this is no good lease, and it cannot be so in our case, because it wanteth inrolment, to make it a lease in the life of the Bishop. Fifthly, he said the inrolment after the death of the Lessee, shall not have relation to make the lease good, for the Queen takes nothing until the inrolment made, and therefore all is but words until the inrolment, and it differeth much from the case of a bargain and sale, for in such case an use passeth at the Common Law before any inrolment, and this may relate well enough if the Deed be inrolled after within 6. moneths, for the Statute of the 27. H. 8. of inrolments, doth not hinder the relation, for the words are, that nothing shall pass by the bargain (except the Deed be inrolled &c.) so that if the Deed be inrolled in due time, it passeth from the beginning well enough, but otherwise it is in our case, see the 12. H. 4. fo. 12. so a fine cannot relate but from the recording thereof, for nothing passeth, but by the Record, and it doth not relate as a bargain and sale &c. and as to the exceptions taken to the Bar, he said, that notwithstanding them the plea is good, for it shall be intended the same writing which the information mentions, and it is not like to Mary Dickenson's case, Cook lib. 4. fo. 18. where the Plaintiff alleged, that the Defendant published a forged writing, in discredit of the Plaintiff's title, and the Defendant said, quod talis Indentura qualis &c. this doth not answer the Declaration, for no like is the same, but in our case the Bar cannot be better, for the information is, that by writing he demised &c. and the Bar is, that well and true it is, that the Bishop by his certain writing made purporting a demise, which he pretended to be no demise in fact, and if he should say in express words, as the information ought to be, then he should confess the thing which is matter in law, and ought not to take a Traverse to the demise alleged, because it is a matter in Law, if it be a demise

or not: to the second exception he said, that he needs not to answer the express surmise of the information which is, that two Commissioners &c. and the Bar is expressly, that they did not &c. without speaking any thing that the other Commissioners did do any thing, as if an action of account be brought, and the Plaintiff saith, that the Defendant accounted before A. it is a good plea, that the Defendant did not account before A. for though peradventure he accounted before another, but this shall not be intended, so the Bar is good. He accepted to the information. First, it doth not mention within what time the first lease was inrolled, for the words are, modo irrotulat. Secondly, the information saith not that the deed of confirmation was ever sealed, but that the Chapter with their seal &c. and saith not sealed, and then it is not good, wherefore upon all the matter it seemeth, that judgement ought to be given against the King. Snig Baron, that the Bar is good, and also the information, first it seemeth, that here is no Record to intitle the King to this land by the lease from the Bishop, for if this deed, which purporteth a lease made by the Bishop, were found by inquisition to be acknowledged, yet it is no sufficient Record 7. E. 4. and 5. E. 4. for the title of the King, ought to be by the Record, immediately from the party who makes the estate, and Mr. Stamford is to be considered, that if the King hath an antient right, he may peradventure be in actual possession without Record, but if he cometh in as a purchaser, he shall not have without a Record, and this is proved by the case of the Duke of Somerset in 19. Eliz. Dyer, and Mackwilliams case in 3. Eliz. and he said, that as to the relation, if a man seised of a Mannor bargaineth it to me, and rent incurreth before the inrolment I shall not have the rent, although the Deed be inrolled within 6. months after, and so of a condition, and if a reversion be granted, and before attainment of the Tenant the rent incurreth, the grantee shall not have the rent notwithstanding any relation: as to the point of confirmation, he vouched the case of Patrick Arch-Bishop of Dublin in Ireland cited in Dyer, also he vouched Dyer fo. 105. and by these books it seemed, that in this case a confirmation is required to be made, and a bare assent is not sufficient, and therefore if an incumbent make a lease for years, and the Patron grants the next avoidance, and after confirms the lease, here the lease is not good in respect the next avoidance interrupts it for his life, but after the death &c. the term will be good, as it was here lately adjudged, and so he thought, that in this case the confirmation is not good, and also that the Commission not being returned, is not good, and after one of the Commissioners die, before the return, it cannot be returned, and by the inrolment here made the lease cannot take his effect with any relation, and so he concluded, that judgement ought to be given against the King. Tanfield chief Baron, the Commission for the acceptance of the acknowledgement of the Bishop, touching that it is to be known, whether this makes it the Deed of the Bishop, and that the Commissioners should return &c. the confirmation in this case, was made in the life of the Bishop Lessee, and of the Queen Lessee, although that some of my brethren conceive the Record to be otherwise, also in this case Dimock entered by virtue of his lease, before the inrolment of the lease made to the Queen, as the Record purporteth: to the points, First, I conceive that nothing resteth in the Queen without inrolment, but if Lessee for years be outlawed, the King shall have this lease by the outlawry, for the outlawry is intended to be upon Record, but of a wardship for land, that is not in the Queen, by the death of the Queens Tenant without an office, because there is no matter of Record, if an Alien hath a lease of land this is forfeited, yet he shall have personal Chattels, and as to the Book of 18. E. 3. cited on the other side, where the King bought a quare impedit &c. this may be well agreed, for the Prior of Durham confessed by Record, that he had made a grant, and this is a sufficient Record, and as to the book of 20. E. 4. where the Patron was outlawed, and before the outlawry the Church became void; that the King shall present, it may be well agreed, although that no office be found, for this presentation is but a thing

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thing personal, and transitory, and therefore those Books prove nothing in this case. Secondly, he said, that when this lease was acknowledged before Commissioners, yet that was not sufficient to make a record to intitle the King, and it is here expressly denied in the Bar, that this lease was certified into the Chancery in the life of the Queen, and therefore he thought, that here was no Record to intitle the Queen, and to this purpose he cited a case in 19. Eliz. Robins and Greshams case, if a Recognizance were acknowledged before a Master of the Chancery and not inrolled, this is no Record, and an Action of debt lieth not thereupon, and the 34. Eliz. in Brock and Bainhams case in this Court, a Recognizance was taken before a Baron of this Court, yet this was no Record without inrolment, and therefore the bare acknowledgement in our case is no Record: also he denied the opinion of Davers in 37. H. 6. to be Law, but only for personal Chattels; and the 12. Eliz. Brook and Latimers case was adjudged against the opinion of Davers for land, or leases. Thirdly, he said, that the successor of the Bishop comes in paramount the lease made to the Queen, and the new Lessee entering before any inrolment, hath made the successor of the Bishop as in his remitter, and when an ancient right comes, this prevents the relation, which otherwise might be by the inrolment, and he said, that the first lease here made to the Queen is merely dead, until inrolment, and he touched the 11. E. 4. fo. 1. Vactions case, the discontinuor enters upon the discontinuee, after the discontinuee dieth his heir within age, the discontinuor dieth, this causeth a remitter, and so by him, if the disseissee enter upon the heir of the disseisor, being an infant and dieth, this avoids the descent by reason of the ancient right which the disseissee had, and by 7. H. 7. and 11. H. 7. Eriches case, it appears that an Act of Parliament will not revive a thing that is merely dead, by reason of any inrolment, and much more here, an inrolment cannot revive this lease which is merely void by the death of the Lessor, and the entrance of the Lessee of the Bishops successor, and there is a great difference betwixt the inrolment in this case, and the inrolment of a bargain and sale, in regard that the sale is dead before the inrolment, and yet in the case of bargain and sale, it was adjudged in the Common Pleas Pasch. 2. Jac. in Sir Thomas Lees case called Bellinghams case, that if a man bargain land to A. and before inrolment of the Deed A. bargaines the land to B. which second bargain is inrolled, this inrolment makes not the bargain good to B. for the relation of the first, is only to perfect and make good the conveyance to A. from all incumbrances after his bargain, but not to make the second Deed good which was void before: also in 36. Eliz. in Sir Thomas Smiths case, if the Bargainee suffer a recovery before the Deed inrolled, yet that doth not make the recovery good, and he said, that in this case, until an inrolment of the lease made to the Queen there is no Lessee, and a lease cannot be without a Lessor and Lessee, and before any inrolment of the lease, the Lessor is dead, so that there never was a Lessor and Lessee in life together and therefore the inception of this lease was altogether imperfect before the consummation came, and so it seemeth by him, that the death of the Bishop Lessor intervening before the inrolment is the principal cause, that the first lease is not good: as to the 4th. point of confirmation, it seems to me, in regard that the Bishop was seised in right of his Bishoprick, and the Dean and Chapter have no interest in the land, so that an assent is only sufficient in this case, it seems to me, that the confirmation (as you call it) is good enough, for it is clear, that an assent may be as well before the lease as after, for it passeth no more then an Attoynment. Cook lib. 5. Foords case probeth this diversity plainly, and by the same reason, also it seems to me, that this assent of parties who have no interest is good enough without inrolment, but otherwise it should be, if a confirmation were required in the case: and as to the pleading, I think the Bar is good; and as to the exceptions which have been made, viz. if the lease supposed to be made to the Queen be answered, and he said, it was good enough, for the purpose of the Defendant is to bring the matter

matter in Law before the Judges, and the matter in Law is, if it were any lease or not, as the information supposeth, and therefore the Defendant ought not to agree with the information for the matter in Law, and therefore he had done well to shew the special matter as he had done, and not to confess it as it is in the information, nor to traverse the said demise, because it is matter in Law: 5. H. 7. and Vernons case Cook lib. 4. he needs not traverse absque hoc, that the lease was made for and in satisfaction of Dowry, and to shew the special matter, viz. that it was a conditional lease, and to leave it to the Judges for the matter in Law if it be a joynture or not: also it seemeth to me, that it is sufficient for the Bar to say, that the Commission was not returned by Hammond and Porter, for that is a Traverse to the information, and it cannot be intended to be returned by any other of the Commissioners, in regard that those two only did execute it for the taking of the acknowledgement as the information mentions, but he said nothing in this case, if this Commission may be returned by those Commissioners who took not the acknowledgement: also by him and Snig (Bromley absent) sigillo suo ratificat. is good enough without saying sigillo suo sigillat. contrary to Baron Alcham: also the Defendants have shewed the time in their Bar, when the first lease was intolled, so that it is certain; but it seems to me, that admit the matter in Law was for the King, yet upon this information we cannot give judgement for him, for the information is for the mean profits incurred before the intolment, and this is clear that the King cannot have them without doubt, (admit that the Bishop had been living) yet the intolment cannot relate as to the mean profits, although it should be admitted to be good to make the lease good at the time of the intolment, and so upon all the matter he agreed, that judgement ought to be given against the King, and so it was.

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Tanfield chief Baron said, that if a man take a lease of my land from the King by Patent rendering rent, this is not an Indenture to compel him to pay the rent, for the King had nothing to grant, whereupon a rent might be reserved to him. Alcham Baron said, that the King shall have the rent here, as by estoppel between common persons; but it was adjourned.

It was said by Tanfield chief Baron, that a Collector of a fifteenth may levie all the Tax within one Township, upon the goods of one inhabitant only if he will, and that inhabitant shall have aid of the Court to make each other inhabitant to be contributory; which was granted by the Court. Bromley being absent.

Tanfield chief Baron said, that if a man had judgement against A. upon an Obligation, who dieth, and another Obligee of the said A. assigns his Obligation to the King, the Executors of A. satisfy the said judgement, it is good against the King, in respect the debt now due to the King, was not upon Record before the death of the Testator, which was granted by the Court.

Levifon against Kirk.

This Term the case between Levifon and Kirk, which was opened the last Term was adjudged: and the case was, that Levifon brought an Action upon the case in the office of Pleas against Kirk, and declared, that whereas the Plaintiff was a Merchant, and 13. Martii 40. Eliz. intended to go beyond the Seas to M. to Merchandise, and the same day and year at D. he acquainted the Defendant with his determination, and then in the same place appointed and trusted the Defendant being his servant, to receive for him all such Merchandise and goods, which should be sent over, or carried, or conveyed by the Plaintiff in the same voyage, and to pay for the custome of them, and to dispose of them;

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and convert them for the profit and commoditie of the said Plaintiff, and thereupon conveyed divers goods to the Defendant, and that the same day and year the Plaintiff took shipping, and sailed to M. and that within five dayes following 20. pieces of Velvet were brought into the Port of S. consigned by the Plaintiff to the Defendant in the absence of the Plaintiff, and that the Defendant on purpose to deceive the Queen of her custome, and to make the Plaintiff to allow custome unto him, did take of the said goods so consigned, and land them on the land at S. aforesaid the custome not paid, whereby the Plaintiff lost his goods, as forfeited for default of payment of custome to the damage of &c. and upon not guiltie pleaded, a venire facias was awarded to the Sheriff, that he should cause to come 12. from the Venue of D. and those &c. viz. from the place where the trust was reposed, and from the place where the trust was broken, and thereupon the Defendant was found guiltie, and damages 50. l. and in Pasch. Chibborn Serjeant moved in arrest of judgement, that the Action did not lie for every fault against the servant, although it be such a misfeasance, for which the Plaintiff receives prejudice, and therefore if you will have an Action in this case, you ought to shew a special trust reposed, and a breach of that trust by the servant, or otherwise an Action upon the contract not, and that is not observed here, for although that you shew, that the Defendant being your servant, was appointed and trusted for the goods, to be consigned in the said voyage, yet you did not shew that these goods were not consigned in the said voyage, neither do you shew, that he was such a servant generally used to be employed in trading for your goods, neither do you shew, that you have allowed or delivered moneys to him, to make him able to pay the custome, and to say, that by the sale of the goods themselves, he may pay it himself, and you appointed him to dispose them at his pleasure, yet hereby you do not inable him thereunto, for he ought to pay the custome before he sell them, and then peradventure he had not money to discharge the custome, wherefore there is no cause of your Action, as this Declaration is; and therefore he prayed that judgement may be stayed. George Crook prayed, that judgement may be given, for although it be not expressly shewed, that the Plaintiff continued beyond the Seas, in the said voyage, at the time of the coming of the goods to the said Port, yet the intendment ought to be so of necessity, in regard it is shewed, that within five dayes after his departure, and in his absence these goods were consigned &c. and his return cannot be intended in so small a time, and he vouched 21. E. 4. fo. 13. also it is not material in the case to shew, that the Master hath left where withal to pay the custome, for here the Action is brought in respect of deceit, and fraud in the Defendant, and this is inferred divers wayes: the first, that the Defendant ought to receive my goods. Secondly, that he should pay the custome. Thirdly, that he should dispose of them at his pleasure, for the profit and commoditie of his Master the Plaintiff, and it is shewed, that he intended to deceive his Master and the Queen also, and where a wrong is made to another in my name whereby I am dammified, there I shall have an Action, and if in this case, the Defendant had left the goods in the ship, then the Plaintiff had suffered no loss, and therefore his taking them out of the ship is the cause, which occasions the loss to the Plaintiff, and therefore it is reasonable, that he should render us damages, and he vouched the writ of deceit in F. N. B. and divers cases therein put, and 21. E. 4. that if a man bring an Action in London, and the Defendant to delay my Action brings a writ of privilege, he shall have an Action upon the case, and he vouched the like case to be adjudged in the Kings Bench 40. Eliz. between Byron and Sleith upon an Action of the case brought by the Defendant, because he sued a scire facias against a Bail in a Court where he ought. Bromley Justice Baron said, that the Plaintiff shall have judgement. First, it shall be intended, that the Plaintiff was beyond the Seas, at the time in respect of the Minute of time, between his departure and the landing of the goods. Secondly, he said, that it needs not be expressed, that the Master had left moneys wherewith to discharge the

the custome, for it shall be intended in this case, because the Defendant had taken upon him to meddle according to the appointment of the Plaintiff, wherefore &c. and so he departed to the Parliament. Altham second Baron agreed, that the Statute for the paying of custome appointeth, that if the goods of any man be laid upon the land the custome not paid, that then the goods shall be forfeited, and therefore here he shall not lose his goods, by reason of this Act made by the Defendant, so that if the Defendant be a meer stranger to the Plaintiff, without question an Action of Trespass lies for this taking; then in the principal case, by reason of this trust an action of the case lies, and if a stranger drives my Cattle upon your land, whereby they are distrained by you, I shall recover against the stranger for this distress by you, in an action against him, for by reason of this wrongful Act done by him I suffer this loss, and he bouched 9. E. 4. fo. 4. a case put by Jenney. Snig third Baron to the contrary, I agree that if a stranger put in my Cattle to the intent to do hurt to me, a Trespass lieth, but here is an Action upon the case and that lies not, because it appears not sufficiently, that the Defendant was servant to the Plaintiff to Merchandise, but generally his servant, and therefore an Action of Trespass rather lieth generally, for in an Action upon the case, he ought to hit the bird in the eye, and here it is not shewed, that the goods were for the same voyage, nor that the Defendant is a Common servant in this employment: also the Declaration is not good, because he doth not shew, that the Defendant had money, or means from the Master to pay the custome, and he is not compellable to lay out money of his own, besides he cannot dispose of the goods, until the custome be paid, wherefore &c. Tanfield chief Baron, there are two matters to be considered in the case. First, if here you charge the Defendant as your special servant, or if as a stranger. Secondly, if as a stranger, then if an Action upon the case, or a general Action of Trespass lieth; and as to the first, if in this case you have shewed him to be such a servant as a Bailiff, or Steward, and he hath misbehaved himself in such a thing which belongs to his charge, without any special trust, an Action upon the case lieth, but if he be taken to be your general servant, then he is to do and execute all Acts and lawful commands, and against this general servant, if his Master command him to do such a thing, and he doth it not, an action upon the case lieth, but yet this is with this diversitie, viz. if the Master command him to do such a thing, which is in his convenient power, or otherwise not, and therefore if I command my servant to pay 100. l. at York, and give him not money to hire a horse, an Action lieth not for the not doing of this command but if I furnish him with ability to do it, and then he doth it not, an action lieth well against him, and in the principal case it is shewed, that the Plaintiff appointed the Defendant being his servant generally to receive &c. and to pay all customes &c. then it is examinable, if the Plaintiff sufficiently enabled this Defendant to do this command, and the words of the command seem to be all one, as if he had commanded the Defendant to receive the Wares, paying the custome, and therefore the Defendant needs not to receive them, if he had not money to pay for the custome, and so it is not within the Plaintiffs command to receive the Wares, and then if he doth receive them not paying for the customes, this is another thing then the command, and therefore it is no misfeasance as my particular servant, but being my general servant, he had done another thing then I commanded him, whereby I receive some damage, and by consequence is in case of a stranger, for if my general servant, who is not my horse keeper, take my horse out of my pasture and ride him, this is a thing which he doth not as a servant, but as a stranger: then as to the second matter, the Defendant being as a stranger, if an action upon the case, or a general action of Trespass lieth, for this is, as if my general servant take my horse, and rides him without my appointment, a general action of Trespass lieth, but if by reason of his riding my horse die, an action upon the case lieth, and so it is in the case here, the Defendant had laid the goods upon the land, by reason whereof they were forfeited, it is allowable.

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that an Action upon the case lieth, but if a man take my goods, and lay them upon the land of A. a Trespass, or an Action upon the case lieth against him, who took them by the better opinion; but it is good to be advised, and it was adjourned; and at another day Altham Baron said, that an Action upon the case, or a Trespass generally did lie well enough, and he vouched F. N. B. that if a Bailiff arrest one without any warrant, I shall have Trespass generally, or an Action upon the case at my election, and so in the like case 18. E. 4. fo. 23. Trespass, or Action upon the case lies also: by F. N. B. if Executors be outed by the Testators Lessors, there they may have an Action upon the case, if they will, or Trespass generally, and in Slade and Morleys case, a case was put, which proves it to be according. Snig Baron agreed, that Judgement ought to be given for the Plaintiff, and by Tanfield, if I take your goods, and detain them, until I have caused you to pay me 10. l. a general Action of Trespass lieth, and not an Action upon the case, and it is cited 7. H. 4. or 7. E. 4. to be accordingly: but yet he agreed, that judgement should be entered, and so it was appointed to be done; but then Chibborn for the Defendant said, that here is a mistrial, for if this trust be not material, because it is not effectually shewed in the Declaration as you have argued, then the Venue shall come only from the parish, where the Wares were laid upon the land, and not from the parish also, where the appointment of trust was made by the Plaintiff, and therefore the trial also being from both parishes, is a mistrial, and the Court agreed, that this is a mistrial upon that reason, for now the appointment of Trust is but an inducement, and therefore needs not to be shewed within what parish it was made, and therefore a new Venire facias was granted, and upon that a new trial, and damages more then before, and judgement was given accordingly.

Arden against Darcie.

NOta, a good case of Attornment, which was decreed in the time of Baron Manwood betwixt Arden and Darcie, and it was this; one Arden was leased in fee of others lands in the County of et. and made a lease for years, and after made a feofment with wozos of Grant of those lands to A. and B. to the use of the feoffors, and his wife for their lives, the remainder to Arden his son in tail, and after the feoffors said to the Lessee, that he had conveyed his land, which the Lessee held in lease to the uses aforesaid, and the Lessee said, I like it well, and after he paid his rent to the feoffors generally, and it was decreed in the Exchequer Chamber, that this is no Attornment, because the Attornment ought to be to the feoffees, and it appeareth not, that the Lessee had notice of the names of the feoffees, and therefore it cannot be said, to amount to an Attornment, but notwithstanding that Decree, Arden the same to whom the remainder was limited, had his Action depending in the Kings Bench to trie the point again, as he said to me: also this Term, a point concerning the said Decree was in question, upon another Bill exhibited in the Exchequer Chamber by Sir Edward Darcie against Arden, and the case was as followeth. Sir Edward Darcie exhibited his Bill here in the nature of a scire facias against Arden, to shew cause, wherefore the said Edward Darcie should not have execution of a Decree made, in the time of Baron Manwood, and the Defendant shewed, that Darcie in his first suit supposed by his Bill, that he had a grant of the land then, and now in question from Queen Elizabeth rendering rent, as it appears by the letters Patents, and in fact there was no rent reserved upon the Patent, and that the Defendant gave answer to the said Bill, and admitted the Jurisdiction of the Court, and after a Decree was made against the Defendant, and the Defendant now having shewed this special matter demurred upon this Bill, in respect that by his pretence the Court had not jurisdiction to hold plea in the first suit, and here it was shewed, that the
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first decree was made upon a matter in Law, not properly examinable by Eng-
lish Bill, and that in fact, the Law was therein mistaken, and therefore the
Defendant prayed that the decree may be re-examined. Tanfield chief Baron, it is
usual in the office of Pleas, that if an action be brought, as a debt of our Lord
the King, this is good, although that de facto no suggestion be made thereof,
if it be not shewed on the other side, and therefore a writ of Error for this fault
shall not cause the judgement to be reversed, as it was resolved in a case in which
I was of Council, and so here as it seemeth. Alcham Baron, here we are in
equity, wherein we are not tied to so strict a course, as if it were in the office of
pleas. Brock of the Inner Temple for the Defendant, in a Court of equity,
it is in the discretion of the Court to deny Execution of a decree if good cause be
shewed, and in 18. E. 4. fo. 1. judgement was given against a married wife by
the name of a feme sole, and reversed, although she did not shew in the first suit,
that she was married, and in 8. E. 4. judgement was given in the Kings Bench
in a suit, and by writ of error was reversed, although the Defendant had admitted
the Jurisdiction of the Court, and the chief Baron, and all the Court inclined,
that Arden may exhibit a Bill to reverse this Decree made against him, and may
shew what point in Law the Judges mistook in the Decree, or otherwise we
should not do as Law and Justice requireth, for it is not expedient to be examined
by way of Bar to this Bill in the nature of a scire facias: and after Arden accor-
ding to the Decree of the Court, and their direction did exhibit his Bill in the
nature of a writ of error, Comprising how the first decree was erroneously made,
and prayed, that the said decree might be reversed, and in his Bill he shewed the
point in Law, which was decreed, and that upon divers long conveyances ap-
pears to be thus, and so it was agreed by Council on both parties; that Arden
the father was seised of the Mannor of Cudworth in the County of Gt. and was
also seised of the Mannor of Parkhal in the same County, and of Blackclose &c.
which was parcel of the Mannor of Cudworth, but lying neer unto Parkhal,
and alwayes used and occupied with it, and reputed parcel thereof, but in trust
it was parcel of Cudworth, and that Arden the father made a Conveyance of the
Mannor of Parkhal, and of all the lands thereunto belonging, and reputed as
parcel thereof, or occupied with it, as part, or parcel thereof, and of all other his
lands in England, (except the Mannor of Cudworth) to the use of Arden his
son that now is Plaintiff here, and if Blackclose will pass to the son by this con-
veyance, or if by incumbrment it shall be excepted by the exception made, it was the
question here, and was decreed in the time of Baron Manwood, that it is except-
ed by the exception, but all the Barons now thought it, to be a strong case,
that Blackclose is not excepted by the exception of the Mannor of Cudworth, and
so the first decree was upon a mistake out of the Law: and Tanfield chief Baron said,
that the point is no other, but that I inſeoffe you of Blackacre, parcel of the Mannor
of D. except my Mannor of D. this doth not except the King by exprels terms;
quær. if in this case there was any land occupied with Parkhal, which was not
parcel of Cudworth, nor of Parkhal, for if so, then it seems that Blackclose will
be within the exception, in regard that the words and lands occupied therewith,
viz. Parkhal are well satisfied. Harris Serjeant said, that the case is to be re-
sembled to the point in Carter and Ringsteeds case, concerning the Mannor of
Odiam, where a man was seised of of a Mannor within which the Mannor of D.
did lie, and is parcel thereof, and he by his will devised the Mannor of D. except-
ing the Mannor of Odiam, where the Mannor passeth by the devise, and is not
excepted. Snig and Alcham Barons agreed, that this proves the case in equity,
but by the chief Baron Tanfield, because this is a rare case, that we should reverse
or undo a decree made by our predecessors in the very point decreed by them, it is
good to be advised, and therefore they directed Arden to finde precedents if he
could, by search made for them in the said case, and therefore the Attorney gene-
ral who was of Council for Darcie, had demurred upon the Bill which was ex-
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hibited by Arden, and that he being not present, day was given until another term to hear Council on both parts, at which day the Attorney said, that he conceived it a strange case, and without president, that a Court should impeach and reverse the decrees given in the same Court, and that if it should be suffered, the subjects would be vexed and troubled without any end or quiet, and this stands with the gravity of every Court to maintain their own judgements, and therefore several Statutes were made to reverse judgements upon erroneous proceedings, and judges of other Courts constituted to examine them, which proveth, that before the Statutes aforesaid, and without aid of them the Judges would not reverse their own Judgements, and so here. Harris to the contrary, it is not without presidents, that in a Court of equity one, and the same decree in the same Court hath been reversed by decree of the same Court, upon some consideration had of the erroneous misplications of Law, and it is no dishonour to a Court of justice so to do for matter in Law, but otherwise it were for matter of fact, for then that betrays an Ignorance in the Judges, which would be a dishonour to the Court, but for Law men are not Angels, and for that point, there may be error; to prove that the Court of equity may do so, he vouched the Book of 27. H. 8. fo. 15. Martin Dockwraies case, which is our very case ruled in the Chancery, and so he said, that in this Court 3. Jac. a decree made in the time of Baron Manwood was reversed upon the like reason; and Tanfield chief Baron said to Serjeant Harris, that if it appear by your president, that if the same matter in Law which was decreed was reversed in the same point in Law, then this proveth for you, but if it were for matter of fact, otherwise it is, and therefore we will see your president.

Kent and Kelway.

KEnt and Kelway entered Hil. 6. Jac. Rot. 722. in the Exchequer, in the case between Kent and Kelway, which was debated Pasch. 8. Jac. the Judges pronounced in the Exchequer Chamber, that judgement ought to be affirmed, notwithstanding their opinion before to the contrary as it appeareth, and therefore I demanded of Mr. Hoopwel Clark of the Errors, what was the reason of their opinions, and he told me that the case was debated by them this Term at Serjeants Inne, and then they resolved to affirm the Judgement; and the reasons as he remembered were as followeth, and he also delivered unto me the case, as he had collected it out of the Records, and delivered it to the Judges, which was, that the Plaintiff in the Kings Bench declared, that one Benjamin Shephard was indebted to him in 300. l. and that he sued out of the Kings Bench, an Alias Capias directed to the Sheriffe of N. to the intent to compel the said Benjamin Shephard upon his appearance to put in Bail, according to the custome of that Court, for the Recovery of his debt, which writ was delivered to John Shaw; Sheriffe of the said County, to be executed, the Sheriffe made his warrant, to the Bailiffe of the liberty of the Wapentake of Newark, and the Plaintiff himself delivered it to James Lawton Deputy of the Lord Burley, the Kings chief Bailiffe of that liberty to be executed, and the Deputy Bailiffe by vertue of the said warrant arrested the said Benjamin Shephard, whereupon the Defendant with others made an Assault, and rescued the said Benjamin Shephard out of the custody of the said Deputy Bailiffe, whereby he lost all his debt, and damages were assessed at 172. l. and cost 10. l. and in this case the Judges agreed, that notwithstanding the Defendant had rescued the said Benjamin Shephard out of the hands of &c. when the said Benjamin Shephard was arrested upon an Alias Capias out of the Kings Bench, which writ is only in nature of a plea of Trespass, yet the party who rescued him, shall answer in this action, damages for the debt, because the Plaintiff by this means had lost his debt. And yet it is not shewed, that

that the Rescuer knew that the Plaintiff would declare for his debt, but if in this case, the Sheriffe or Bailiffe had suffered a Negligent escape, they should be charged only with the damages in the same plea as the writ supposeth, and not for the debt, and so a diversity: also they agreed, that the Declaration is good enough to say, that he was rescued out of the hands of the Deputy Bailiffe, and the course in the Kings Bench was alwayes so, upon the return of a rescue, notwithstanding the Book of the 7. Eliz. Dyer fo, 241. also it was resolved, that the Declaration was good, saying that he sued an Alias Capias without mention of any latitat before sued: also it was agreed, that the arrest was good made by the Deputy Bailiffe, by vertue of a warrant delivered to the Sheriffe: but quere, if they should not examine, if the Bailiffe had a power given to make a Deputy by his Patent, for this appears not in the case.

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Bentley and others, against Leigh in Trespas
 Hill. 45. Eliz. Rot. 1231: Trin. 7.
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The Judges affirmed a Judgement this Term, between Leigh Plaintiff in a writ of Error, and one Bentley, and others Defendants, and the matter assigned for Error was, because the Trespas was brought in the year 45. Eliz. for a Trespas made in the 42. Eliz. and the judgement upon the verdict was against the Defendant, and the Pargent of the Roll it was entred: quod Defendens capiatur, where it ought to be pardonatur (as he pretended) for the general pardon, which was in 43. Eliz. had pardoned the fine to the King for the Trespas, and this is a thing whereof the Judges ought to take notice, as it was said by Dampart, who was of Council with the Plaintiff in the Error, for this word capiatur is of course entred in the Roll, for the Kings fine which is due by him who is convicted of Trespas, as it appears by Cook lib. 3. in Sir William Herberts case, and in this case the fine was pardoned, therefore pardonatur ought to be entred, as it was in Vaughans case, Cook lib. 5. but the Judges resolved, that of these general pardons they are not bound to take notice without pleading, for in regard there are others exceptions in them, the partie ought to shew, that he is none of the parties excepted, as the Book is in ——— E. 4. but if they will, they may take notice thereof without pleading, as it seems by Vaughans case, and so said the Judges in the Common Pleas this Term, and so here the judgement was affirmed.

Calvert against Kitchin and Parkinson
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In Trespas by Calvert against Kitchin and Parkinson, upon a special verdict these points were moved and argued by the Council at Bar, and first the case in substance was, that one Parkinson was a devisee of the next avoidance of the Parsonage of D. the which Church became void by the death of the Incumbent, and after one A. and the said Parkinson Simoniacally agreed, that the said Kitchin should be presented by the said Parkinson to the said Church aforesaid, and that after Kitchin not knowing of this Simoniacall agreement was presented, instituted, and inducted to the Church aforesaid, and all this was after the Statute of 31. Eliz. cap. 6. and after Queen Eliz. intending, that this presentation belonging to her by reason of this presentation for Simonie, by force of this Statute of the 31. Eliz. presented one B. and before that B. was admitted, and institu-

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tuted the Queen died, and now the King presented Calvert with out any recital, or mention of the presentment made by the Queen, and without any Rebovation actually made of the said first presentation, and thereupon Calvert is admitted, and instituted; and for the Tithes as Parson he brought Trespass. Hitchcock intended three questions as he said, but moved also other things. First, if a devise of the next avoidance be a Patron within the intent of this Statute, of the 31. Eliz. cap. 6. Secondly, if within the said Statute here be Simonie in the Patron, and not in the Parson, if this ought to prejudice the Parson or not. Thirdly, if the King ought to present by this laps after the Queen had made presentment without recalling of the former presentation, or if the presentation of the Queen ought to be adjudged a Turn: to the first matter he said, that a next avoidance is a thing devisable well enough within this Statute, for the truth is, it is not a thing of any value in the accompt of Law, and therefore it is no prejudice, although that the third part do not descend to the Patron, for the Common Law intends it to be of no value, and he said, that the form of conferring to a benefice, was ad ecclesiam &c. as appears by 7. E. 3. fo. 5. and he vouched Bracton to prove, that the Patron had nothing but to provide, that the Church should be full &c. and to prove, that this is a thing devisable, he said that it was so adjudged in the Common Pleas, Mich. 33. and 34. Eliz. Rot. 2122. but admitting that here was not any Patron by reason of any devise, then if he, who presented be a disturber, and had acquired this Patronage hac vice by Usurpation, then that also is given to the King within the intent of this Statute, by reason of this agreement for Simonie, and therefore he said, that if he who had but a nomination corruptly agree to make a presentation, or nomination, this nomination shall be forfeited to the King, within this Statute, as it is said in Plowden, in Hare and Bickleys case, he who hath the nomination, hath the effect of the Advowson: and also he observed the words of the Statute, which say, that if any person do for money &c. present any one &c. that every such persons presentation shall be void, and it shall be lawful for the King to give the same benefice, for that turn &c. so that if he had title or not, yet this turn is forfeited to the King as by the Statute of 1. Jac. cap. 33. it is provided, if any goods which ought to pay subsidy, he laid upon the land, the subsidy not paid &c. the same goods shall be forfeited: it hath been agreed, that if a stranger who had nothing to do with these goods, cause them to be laid upon the land, that they shall be forfeited against the owner, as it was admitted in Levison and Kirks case, in 7. Jac. and so here in respect that the true Patron suffers a Usurper to present, and his presentee to be admitted and inducted, this turn shall be forfeited to the King, by reason of the Simonie against the rightful Patron, and he conceived, that although that the presentee in this case, was not partie to this corrupt agreement, yet he shall be prejudiced by it, although not so prejudiced thereby, but that he may be capable to be presented again to the same benefice, but, hac vice the presentation of him is void; for as Littleton saith, the presentee ought to accept the Patronage subject to such charges as the Patron pleaseth, who in the time of Vacation hath power to charge it, and so by his Act had made it subject to the forfeiture, and therefore the person who cometh under him shall be prejudiced, and therefore he voucheth the case in the 19. H. 8. fo. 12. if a stranger agree to disseise an infant to the intent to infeoffe the Infant, although that the Infant were not knowing of the Coven, yet he shall not be Remitted, because he came in under a wrong deed. To the third matter he said, that the King may reboke his presentation, and by the same reason he may present another, before his presentee is instituted, and to prove it, he said, that a Common person may recal his presentation before the institution &c. and he vouched the Book of the 31. E. 1. Tit. quare impedit 185. the Abbot of Leicesters case, although that Dyer citing of it, 12. Eliz. fo. 292. conceives the Book contrary, but it seems to be in reason that the Law is cleere, that a Lay person may change, although that a Spirituall person cannot, and the

the reason is, because a Lay person did not know his sufficiency peradventure at the first, but a Spiritual person by intendment may know himself thereof well enough, and therefore he vouched 18. H. 7. and 1. H. 8. Kelloways Reports, which proves that diversity plainly as he said, then he thought by the same reason, if the King present one, and dye, or vary before institution, that here, he himself, or his successor, may present anew, and seemed to him no question, and to this purpose he vouched, 12. Eliz. Dyer fo. 292. that he may repeale, and it is not of necessity that this instrument which purporteth the repeale, should be shewed to the Guardian of the Spiritualities, and by the 19. Eliz. fo. 360. in Colehills case it is said, that when the King hath presented, a Repeale by him ought not to be admitted after institution, see for such matters in the Book, also he vouched Dyer 339. Yartons case to prove that the King may repeale his presentation, by a new presentation, without mention made of the former, except that the second presentation be obtained by fraud, as there it is, and he vouched Dyer 294. Goodmans case, and so he concluded. Dampont to the contrary, there are two points,

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The first is the Patron, and a stranger corruptly agree to present Kitchin, whereupon he is presented, if this shall be void against Kitchin. 2. admitting that the Queen had title to present, and she presents, and dyes before admittance, if the King may present a stranger, without mentioning the other presentation to be repealed. As to the first, he said that at the common Law, so if one be simoniacally presented, yet this is not void untill the Presentee be deprived, and if before this Statute, such a corrupt presentment had been made, the incumbent and ordinary being free, then no presentment should ensue, and he vouched the saying of Linwood an Author of the Civill Law to be accordingly, but if money be given by the friends of the Presentee, and after the King had notice thereof and assent, then it is not punishable, but pardonable at the discretion of the King, and now by him the Statute provides no punishment for the person, when the Patron only consents to the Simonie, for he observed that after the said Statute of 31. Eliz. had appointed a punishment for the Patron then in the last part of this branch the words are, the persons so corruptly taking, &c. shall be incapable of the Benefice aforesaid, and so it seemeth, that the intent of the Statute is not to punish any party, but he that is to the Simonie, and this is also explained to be so, by other Clauses in the Statute, for another Clause inflicts punishment upon the Ordinary, if there be any corruption in him, and another clause inflicts punishment upon him who is party to a corrupt resignation, and so in all the clause, those only who are partakers of the Crime shall be punished, and to prove that such construction hath been made upon penall Statutes, that he only shall be punished, who had notice of the crime, he vouched Littleton who saith, that upon the Statute of Gloucester notice was requisite, or otherwise no default, also he vouched to this purpose the case of Pickering in 12. Eliz. Dyer fo. 292. a Lay Person presents a Bastard to a Benefice, who was admitted accordingly, &c. and in a suite thereupon, issue was admitted to be taken, if the Patron knew that he was a Bastard, so if he had no notice thereof, then there is no default in him, and he vouched 43. E. 3. to this purpose, & 22. E. 4. tit. consultation, and he well agreed. Crosse and Pomeoyes case now lately adjudged, which was, that Sir George Cary being seized of an Advowson, granted the next avoidance to his second sonne, and dyed, and after the Sonne, corruptly agreed with I. S. to procure the said I. S. to be presented to this Benefice, and the second brother knowing thereof, it was agreed, that for the perfecting of the agreement, the second Brother should surrender his Grant and interest to the elder brother, which elder brother not knowing of the said corrupt agreement, presented the said I. S. who was instituted, &c. all shall be void, for he is presented here by reason of this corrupt agreement between the Patron who then was, and the parson, and the elder Brother was only used to convey a bad gift by a good hand, and all had reference to the corrupt agreement, with the assent of the Patron who then was, but here in our case was no agreement assented unto by the

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the Parſon, and this diverſity alſo ſeems to be good, that if A. hath the preſenta-
tion, and B. the nomination to a Benefice, and the Preſentor upon a corrupt a-
greement, makes a preſentation unknown to the Nominator, here the Nominator
ſhall not be preſented within this Statute. As to the ſecond matter it ſeemes, that
by the demise of the Queen this preſentation is not countermanded or repealed in
Law, and therefore he ſaid that he would agree, that if the Queen had made ſuch an
Act which was only a bare Authority without intereſt, this will determine by her
death, as it was ruled for a Letter of Attorney to execute liberty of Dutchy Lands,
for this is a bare Authority, and is a means to do a thing to her prejudice, and he
agreed that by implication or without cauſe a common perſon could not vary from
his preſentation, as if a Feme ſole preſent, and intermarry, this is not controul-
ed by her marriage, for it is a thing which is not to her prejudice, and he vouch-
ed Cook lib. 4. Forſe and Hemlins caſe, and one Marke Ogles caſe, proveyth that
the death of a Common Patron is no revocation of his preſentation, for if a man
preſent, and dye, if it be a diſturbance, his Executors may have a Quare impe-
dit, and much more in the caſe of the King who dyeth, but he well agreed, that
the King might have repealed his preſentation, and after have reſumed it again,
which proveyth that it is not a meere Authority, but mixt with an intereſt, for an
Authority revoked cannot be revived, but without Actuall repealing it is not to be
avoided, and therefore he vouched Sir Thomas Wrothes caſe in Plowden fo.
457. That if the King grant to one licence to purchaſe Land, in reſpect that by a
means this doth acquire an intereſt to a party, this doth not determine by the demise
of the King, although the Grant be not for the King and his Succeſſors; ſo here this
preſentation is a meanes to give an intereſt to the Party, and therefore is not de-
termined by the demise of the King, and he vouched 1. Ma. Dyer fol. 92. and ſo
if it be a Licence diſpenſative, this is not determined by her death, and he vouched
3. E. 3. fo. 29. cited in Sir Thomas Wrothes caſe, ſee more after.

Sir Daniel Nortons caſe.

IN Sir Daniel Nortons caſe it was agreed that where one Oglander was
I charged to the King for 27. l. for an Amercement, for which Proceſſe iſſued
out of this Court to Sir Daniel Norton Sheriff of Hampſhire to levie it, and his
under Sheriff being Chamberlain came to Oglander upon another occaſion, and
Oglander ſaid unto him, Chamberlain you do owe unto me 30. l. by bond,
I pray you pay me, whereunto Chamberlain ſaid, you are to pay me 27. l. for an
Amercement which I ought to Levy againſt you by Proceſſe which I have, and
if you will give me my Bond, I will give you 3. l. and diſcharge you of the ſaid
Amercement, to which Oglander agreed, and delivered the Bond accordingly, and
all this Oglander diſcloſed by Affidavit, and further ſaid, that Sir Daniel Norton
had taken his goods for the ſaid Amercement again, this not being diſcharged in
the Office, and it was ſaid by the Court, that this was a good levy of the ſaid A-
mercement by Chamberlaine in the Law, and therefore Sir Daniel Norton
ought to be charged for it to the King, as a thing levied by him, and Oglander
ſhall be diſcharged of any another levying, and therefore, &c.

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Sawier againſt Eaſt in an Ejectione firmæ for certain Mills in Eaſt Smithfield
Scalled Cruſh Mills, a ſpeciall Verdict was found that Queen Eliz. was ſei-
ſed of them in right of her Crown, and the 28. of her Reign leaſed them to Potter
for 40. years, who in the 30. Eliz. dyed, and Mary his Executrix entred, and
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took to Husband one Burrell, which Burrell 33. Eliz. demised parcell to Wilkinson for 20. years, and dyed, Mary took Hitchmore to Husband who in 44. Eliz. 2. May surrendered to the Queen, and after the 2. of June 44. Eliz. the Queen reciting the first Demise made to Potter, the interest of which is now come to Hitchmore, and that he had surrendered to us, demised the premises to Hitchmore as well in consideration of xxx.l. paid as for that, that the said Hitchmore did assume upon himself to repair the said Mills at his own cost being greatly in decay, and to leave them so repaired, and the Jury also found that in the same Patent there was a Covenant that Hitchmore should repaire them, &c. for the doing thereof he had given some assurance, and that the Mills were not repaired, and that the Lease made to Wilkinson is now in Esse, being for 20. years, and that the King that now is, had granted the said Mills to the Lessee of Sawier, &c. Walter for the Plaintiff, First, it seemeth that this false recitall in the lease made to Hitchmore makes the lease void, and the point is, that the King by recitall in this Lease, intends that all the interest of the former lease was surrendered, whereas Wilkinson was possessed of part thereof, and so it is in deceit of the Queen in matter of Profit, and therefore makes the new Lease void, and to prove that a false recitall in the Patent may avoid it, he vouched 37. H. 6. fo. 23. 3. H. 7. fo. 6. and 11. H. 4. fo. — in all which cases it is said, that if the King make a Grant upon a suggestion made to him which is false, this will avoid the Patent, but if a true suggestion be made to the King, and he himself thereupon makes a collection or surmise, this doth not avoid the Patent, as the Lord Chandos case, Cook L. 6. and by 21. E. 4. fo. 48. By Hussy, but there if the surmise of the party be false in any thing, this avoids the Patent, and therefore Hottley there saith, that if the King recite: that whereas the Pannoz of D. is escheated to him, and he grants it to A. where in truth it was parcell of his Antient Inheritance, this doth avoid the Patent, but there by him if the King recite that whereas his servant is decrepit, he of his meere motion grants the Pannoz of D. to him, this falsity doth not avoid the Patent, because the consideration is of his meere motion, and by intendment the recitall is not the information of the party, and then in our case, the lease is not ex gratia, &c. and the recitall is the recitall of the party, for it is of an Act done, viz. of a surrender supposed to be made by the party, and that upon the matter is resolved to be a cause to avoid the Patent, as it is in the Lord Chandos case and so also holden by Hussy in 21. E. 4. fo. 48. and 9. of E. 4. in Baggots Assises, if the surmise of the party be false, and valuable to the King, then the falsity there avoids the patent, but if it be not of a thing valuable, or beneficiall to the King, the falsity doth not avoid the Patent, 29. E. 3. Grants 8. if the King recites that whereas the Adowson of D. is holden of A. and he licenceth A. to appropriate, if in fact, it be holden of the King himself, the licence is not good, because the King is deceived in matter of profit, and so 12. Eliz. Dyer 292. and 25. E. 3. there cited, where the King presents, and before admission; he repeals, and then recites, that whereas his Presentee is Canonice institutus, &c. and confirms it, here although that the Bishop after this repeale had instituted the party, yet it appears, that the recitall, which is void, makes also the confirmation void, 8. H. 7. fo. 3. 9. H. 6. fo. 28. and 21. E. 4. if the King recite, that whereas the Pannoz of D. came unto him by the Attainder of A. he grants to B. and in truth this did not come by the Attainder of A. but is an inheritance of the Crown, this avoids the Grant, and 21. E. 4. fo. 28. by Bryan, if the King recite that he is indebted to A. in 20. l. and grants to him the Pannoz of D. if he be not indebted to him the Grant is void, and so it appears by Sir Hugh Cholmleyes case, Cook lib. 2. fo. 54. that if the Queen recite a thing, the falsitie whereof doth prejudice her in matter of profit, now the misrecitall avoids the Patent, as there it was admitted, that if the Queen recite that whereas A. is seised of an Acre in taile upon a condition, &c. and she grants the reversion to B. here if the state of A. were without a condition, the grant of the reversion is void,

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to this false recital, and according he vouched Alton Woods case, Cook L. 1. and in our case it is prejudiciall to the Queen, that all the interest in the former lease is not surrendered, but a part thereof is in Wilkinson, for the Queen intended that all this Land now leased should be immediately payable to her rent newly reserved, where in deed it cannot be so here, untill the ancient lease be determined, whereby, &c. this recital is tacitely intended part of the consideration: For the second point, it seemeth that here is a falsity in the consideration expressed, for the Queen leased to Hitchmore as well for 30 l. as for that, that he assumed to build and sustaine, so that the assumption to build and sustaine is part of the consideration, and therein the Queen is deceived, and to prove that the word (pro) is as good as if it had been in consideration, he vouched 43. Eliz. Luttrells case, that the word (pro) implies a consideration, and here the finding of the Jury is, that no other security or assurance was given to the Queen, here the Queen can have no remedy upon this promise without matter of Record, and this is proved by 26. E. 3. fo. 20. and without question the King intended by this Assumption that he might have remedy for the not performance thereof, and although the Jury finds a Covenant in the Patent for repairing, yet this is no sufficient performance of the consideration, for the words (super se assumptione) imply a thing precedently done, and not to be done or contained in the same Letters Patents, as if the King recite in consideration that A. had surrendered, he grants the same land supposed to be surrendered, although the very acceptance of the new grant is a surrender, yet this is not the surrender intended, nor this is not the consideration which moved the King, for he intended a precedent surrender, and the very words and intent ought to be performed in the point of consideration, or otherwise the grant is meerely void, although it be not of a thing beneficiall to the King, as appears by Cooke lib. 6. in the Lord Chandos case, and although the consideration be but of a personall thing, and not of a real, as the difference is taken by our Books,) and although that the consideration be of a thing executed, and not Executory, (as also some Books take a diversity) yet as it seemes to me the falsity herein avoids the Patent, for this is of a thing which sounds to the Kings commodity, and he vouched Barwicks case, Cook l. 5. 94. and 3. H. 7. that if the King for money paid makes a grant, &c. there it ought to be averred that the money was paid, and in 21. E. 4. fo. 48. if the King in consideration that A. had released a debt wherein truth there was no such debt, &c. this falsity avoids the grants. Also if the King in consideration that A. had surrendered his Letters Patents of an Estate Taile, Grants him, &c. although that by the surrender the King was to have benefit notwithstanding because the estate yet continueth, therefore this falsity avoids the Patent, as appears in the Lord Chandos case, Cook Lib. 6. Altonwoods case, Cooks lib. 1. fo. 43. and in our case the consideration is of a thing beneficiall to the King to be performed, therefore the falsity much more avoids the Grant: Also the Covenant found here to be made doth not aide the matter at all, for it is not proper to be called a Covenant in Letters Patents, because he did not seal unto it, and it cannot be called his deed, but yet shall be bound thereunto for his estate, but not by way of action, as the consideration intends. Also it seemeth, notwithstanding the construction here was, that in consideration the Lessee would repaire, &c. yet as our case is, the Patent is void, because it is not repaired according, as appears by Barwicks case, Cook lib. 5. fo. 94. that if the consideration in the case of the King be not duly performed, and that prejudice may accrew to the King, by reason of the not performance thereof, this avoids the Patent. Also if the case be so, this would be an estate conditional between common persons, 38. H. 6. and the 6. E. 6. Dyer, 72. and 21. E. 4. by Hufsey pro quod Relaxabit, &c. and so in Sir Thomas Wrothes case, Plowden, and 15. E. 4. for the King had no other remedy to compell the thing to be done, except to seise the land for the not performance, & therefore it appears by 21. E. 4. and Cook in Altonwoods case, that the Grantee ought

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to plead this consideration to be performed on his part, which also appears by Sir Thomas Wrothes case, if it be of a thing Executory, and so for all these causes I pray that Judgement may be given for the Plaintiff. Crook George at another day argued to the contrary, and he answered three points. First, it hath been agreed, that the lease is void upon a false consideration employed, viz. the mis-recital. Secondly, admit that it is not void for that, yet here part of the express consideration is not performed. Thirdly, the lease made to Hitchmore was in Judgement of Law conditional, and the condition not being performed makes an avoidance of the lease. To the first point it seemeth, that this false recital doth not avoid the Patent, yet I agree the cases, and Books which have been cited out of 9. H. 6. fo. 27. and 29. E. 3. Grants 58 for in these Books it appears, that the King is deceived both in point of suggestion, and in point of interest, but our case is not upon a false suggestion, which doth prejudice the King in interest, and in our case the King expresseth another thing to be the Consideration of his grant, and the suggestion is not the consideration, and therefore there is a great diversity, and to warrant this to be a material diversity, he vouched the Rule of the case in 21. E. 4. fo. 49. in Sir Thomas Wrothes case in Plowden, for in 21. E. 4. it is agreed, that the mis-recital that it was the Kings free Chappel, is not material for the King, is not deceived in point of interest, and although that the book 3. H. 7. fo. 6. is that if the King release to a Priory a Corpse, because that the Priory was of the Kings foundation, whereas it was of another mans foundation, and therefore the release should be void, because of the falsitie, although that it be a falsitie in the consideration, and so more strengthen in our case, yet in the said case, it was adjudged to be a good release, as appears in Plowden 331. put in the case of Pines, and so is 3. H. 7. fo. 7. and that this is not Law; see Alconwoods case Cook lib. 1. accordingly, and as to the book 15. E. 3. there cited, he did agree unto it, for if the King hath the title to present, and he presenteth one not according to this title, this presentation is void: see Greens case in the Kings Bench 44. Eliz. accordingly, and now reported by the Lord Cook lib. 6. fo. 29. 8. H. 7. fo. 3. if the King grant the Mannor of D. of the value of 10. l. and this is of the value of 20. the King is deceived in the matter of value by the Information of the party, and therefore the grant is void, which was agreed in point of judgement in the Kings Bench 2. Jac. — between Mason and Chambers, but there it was adjudged, that if the King will grant to A. the Mannor of D. which Mannor is of the value of 10. l. yearly whereas it is worth 20. l. yet the Grant is good, because the words which Mannor is worth &c. are words but of the Kings recital, and in our case here is but one express Consideration, and therefore the recital is not material, see 37. H. 8. Brook Patents 100. that book maketh a quare, if a false consideration doth not avoid a Patent as well as a false suggestion, but the book upon which I do principally rely, is a point resolved in the principal case of Alconwood, Cook lib. 1. fo. 45. or 43. where the King recites that he had made a lease to A. and B. and that whereas they had surrendered the Patent of the said lease, he in consideration of the said surrender makes a new lease to A. and B. here although, that in fact the demise supposed in the recital to be made to A. and B. was void, and so the King was deceived in the matter of recital, yet in respect that he made the surrender of the Patent to be the sole consideration of his grant, the falsitie of his recital is not material, for the Judges ought to take it to be a Positive to the King in his Grant, which he did not express to be a Positive, especially if he express another Positive, and so in our case; also it should be greatly mischievous to Hitchmore, if this falsitie of the recital should prejudice him, for by intendment it is not in his power to inform the King of this lease, which was made by Burwel to Wilkinson, because he is a stranger unto it, and also the lease is not upon Record, and therefore Hitchmore is not bound to take notice of it; see temps H. 8. Brook, Action upon the case &c.

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and also the lease here made by Burwel to Wilkinson is to have continuance but for 8. years after the time of the commencement of the new lease made to Hitchmore, and so the King then shall have it liable to his rent newly reserved, and so in these circumstances our case differs in matter of prejudice, from Barwicks case Cook lib. 5. for there the Kings Lessee made divers under Lessees for all his Term, and after he himself by fraud accepted a new lease of all rendering rent, which new lease was in consideration expressly of a surrender of the first demise, and of all the estate &c. and this lease was there void, and so the diversity appears, also in 18. Eliz. Dyer 352. where the deceit to the Queen was in point of express consideration, and yet the Lord Dyer said, that in that case the grant was not void, and then much more in our case; but admitting that the lease should not be good, notwithstanding this false recital, yet it hath been objected, that the consideration is not performed according to the Kings intention, for the words of the lease are, know yee now, aswell for a fine of 30. l. as for that, that Hitchmore had assumed to repair the Mills at his costs and charges &c. and that here the said Hitchmore had not assumed by Record, so that the King may have any remedy against him, for his not repairing, and that the contract is no assurance: it seems to me that the words, for that, that he assumed, and the express Covenant was sufficient to satisfy the intent of the Consideration, for the words are, the words of the King, and of the Patentee, also in judgement of Law, and therefore Pasch 7. Jac the Lord Evers and Stricklands case was adjudged, the Lord Evers had made a lease by Patent, in which these words were contained, viz. and the aforesaid Lessee shall repair the aforesaid Tenement, and that after the reversion was granted to the Lord Evers, and it was adjudged, that the Lord Evers should have a Covenant against the Lessee, and this was in the Kings Bench, Pasch. 7. Jac. and so here for that he had assumed upon himself, it is an accord sufficient to relesse his promise, whereupon the King may have remedy to compel a reparation to be made, and although that the words are not personally spoken by the Lessee, yet he shall be bound to perform them, as it is in 38. E. 3. fo. 8. if one takes benefit by a lease which he never sealed unto, yet he shall be bound to a nomine penz therein contained, and besides here is an express Covenant, and therefore, &c. Thirdly, it hath been objected, that the estate is conditional by these words, he hath assumed to reparaire, which condition is not performed, and so the lease made to Hitchmore void, and 38. H. 6. 34. and 35. hath been vouched in prooffe, which book I do agree, for there the King had no other remedy to have his intent performed, and also the words there, are ad intentionem doth not make the estate conditional, and he vouched Brook condition 96. and 43. E. 3. 34. and Perkins 144. that if the Queen give land, and that the Donee should not Amortize, that makes not the estate conditional for the Amortizing, and so if a man make a feofment to A. that he should pay 10. l. and that R. may enter for non-payment, yet this maketh not a Condition, the reason is, because the first words leaves it to the libertie of the feoffee, and the words after shall not be construed to make it conditional, but I agreed the case put in Sir Thomas Wrothes case in Plowden, Pro eo quod relaxabit, that this makes a condition if it be not performed, because it is of a thing, futurely to be done, or Executory, and the King had no other remedy; also in our case the circumstances manifest, that the Kings intent was not to make a conditional estate upon this lease, for he accepted an express Covenant for the requiring, and he vouched the Lord Cromwells case, in Cook lib. 2. fo. 72. and he said, that if here the lease had been made to Hitchmore, in respect he had agreed to increase his rent, and further had a clause of distress for the rent, it shall not be intended, that the King in such case purposed to make the lease conditional, if the increase be not paid, because he had provided himselfe a distress, wherein although that the King had no more remedy, then by the Law he should have had without these words, yet the words manifest his intent

to have no other remedy but the diſtreſſe, ſee 7. E. 6. fo. 79. and 3. E. 6. Dyer, Non Mich. 7. *licet alienare makes no condition in the caſe of the King without the words Jac. in the ſubpœna foris facturæ, and he vouched, 4. Ma. Dyer 138. the Counteſſe of Sur- Exche- reyes caſe, and alſo 18. Eliz. Dyer 348. which as he ſaid, was one quer.* Greens caſe, where it was adjudged. that if the King provide himſelf of another remedy, the words by reaſon of any implications ſhall never be conſtrued to be conditionall, and ſo was the opinion of Manwood and Harper in Wellock and Hamonds caſe cited in Barraſtons caſe, Cook lib. 3. and 31. E. 1. Voucher 141. A man made a Feoffment with warranty againſt all people rendering rent, and further willed that if the Feoffee could not enjoy the land, that he ſhould pay no rent, here the words ſubſequent take away the force of a recovery in value, which the warranty otherwiſe would have given, and ſo here the King had appointed the remedy which he intended to have, and therefore it ſhall not be conſtrued to be conditionall, becauſe the conſideration intended is executed, viz. that he hath aſſumed, &c. Dyer 76. and 44. Eliz. in the Kings Bench, Sir William Lees caſe, in conſideration that he had aſſumed to make a releaſe another promiſed to pay him 10 l. an action may be brought for the 10 l. without averment of making the releaſe, becauſe the conſideration is a thing executed, viz. the Aſſumpſit, &c. but if Executoꝝ, then the Grant is conditionall, as 9. E. 4. 19. & 15. E. 4. 9. If an Annuity be granted pro concilio impendendo, this makes the Grant conditionall, and void for not giving counſell, but otherwiſe it is if it be pro concilio impenſo, 4. But admitting that here it was conditionall, yet the Queen cannot avoid it without Office, and ſo the Plaintiff had no title to enter for an aboydance which was beſore his grant, and ſo the leaſe is in eſſe at the time of the Grant made to the Plaintiff, your Grant is without recitall thereof, and therefore is void, ſee Knighes caſe Co. lib. 5. If there be a condition to re-enter for non-payment, an Office ought to be found, but if it be upon condition to ceaſe for non-payment, then it is void to the King without Office, as it was agreed in this Court in Sir Moyle Finches caſe, and he vouched Cook lib. 1. Altonwoods caſe, to prove that the leaſe ought to be recited in the Grant of the reverſion, or future intereſt, and here although there be a non aſſurance in your Patent, this doth not aid you, becauſe it is not found in the ſpeciall Verdict: Alſo for another cauſe the Plaintiff ſhall not have judgement here, for it is not found that the Queen died ſeiſed, neither that it came to the King that now is, and ſo it cannot come to the Plaintiff, and although a fee-ſimple ſhall be intended to continue in the ſame perſon, yet without ſhewing it ſhall not be intended to come to the heir, 7. H. 7. 3. and ſo he prayed judgement for the Defendant. Tanfield chief Baron ſaid, that the caſe here is by Verdict, & therefore we ought to intend ſuch circumſtances, if they be not expreſſed to the contrary: alſo the ſeiſin of the Queen is ſhewed to be in Jure Coronæ, and therefore the intendment that it may be deviſed by diſſeiſin, or abatement between common perſons holdeth not here.

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Thomas Carew Exequeror of William Carew brought debt againſt Morgan Broughton Sheriff of the County of Cardigan, and the caſe was that John Wyner was in execution upon a Judgement for William Carew, and that after William Carew dyed, and that John Wyner brought an Audita querela againſt Carew, Exequeror of William Carew, and upon that Writ he had a venire facias againſt Thomas Carew, and thereupon (as the Stat. appoints of 11. H. 6. cap. 10.) he put in baile by recognizance in the Chancery to the ſaid Thomas Carew, and one of the parties for his baile was Thomas Wyner, and after upon the Audita Querela, Judgement was given againſt the ſaid Wyner, and a Scire facias awarded & iſſued againſt Thomas Wyner as

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as Bail, and after the said Thomas Winer was in execution upon this Recognizance as Bail to the said Thomas Carew, and the said Morgan Broughton being Sheriff, suffered him to escape, upon which escape Thomas Carew brought debt against the Sheriff in the debt and detinet, and had a verdict to recover, and now in arrest of judgement it was moved by Jefferies that the action ought to be brought in the detinet only, and he said that if an Action be brought as Executor, this alwaies ought to be in the detinet only, and he vouched Hitchcock and Browns case remembered at the end of Hargraves case, lib. 5. where the case was, that one Anthony Brown Executor brought debt against one Lister, and that Lister being in execution, the wife entermarried, the said Lister escaped, the Husband and Wife brought debt for his escape in the debt and detinet, and there it was resolved that it ought to be in the detinet only, and so here, and see the custome to plead mentions, that the Recognizance acknowledged was to the use of the Executor: and not to the use of Thomas Carew by his name, but Wild of the Inner Temple prayed judgement, and said that the Action is well brought in the debt and detinet, and he vouched 9. H. 6. and 20. H. 6. if an Executor recover, and after upon the Judgement he brings debt, it ought to be in the detinet, but if an Executor sells goods of the Testator, and takes an Obligation in his name as Executor, yet here the Action upon this Obligation ought to be in the debt and detinet, because it is upon his own contract, and 1. E. 3. Brooke Executor pla. 287, although it appears there, and so by 9. H. 6. fo. 11. That is good either way, and 41. E. 3. Brook pla. 345. that if a debt be brought against the Executor upon a contract made by them, it ought to be in the debt and detinet, or otherwise the Writ shall abate, and as 9. H. 6. is at his pleasure to name him Executor or not, and therefore &c. Snig the second Baron, if the Executors bring an Action of goods carried away in the life of the Testator &c. and hath judgement to recover 20. l. and damages for them, and upon this judgement he brings debt, this shall be in the detinet, Alcham 3. Baron, if an Executor sells the goods of the Testator, and an Obligation is made to him for the money for which they were sold, without doubt this action shall be in the debt and detinet, for the action concerns him in his person, and so if he with his own money redeem goods which was pawned by the Testator, &c. and the Stat. of the 11. H. 6. cap. 10. is that upon an Audita Querela the party who sueth it shall put in Bond to the party, &c. and the Testator is not party at the time of this Audita Querela, but Thomas Crew who is the Executor, and it is not as a Procees of execution pursuant, &c. but is a new thing, and so for his opinion suddenly it is good in the debt and detinet. Bromley the 4. Baron seemed cleer, that if a Bond be made to an Executor upon a simple Contract made with him for the goods of Testator, there the action ought to be brought in the debt and detinet, but this account is conceived upon a dependency of a duty to the Testator, and therefore it ought to be detinet only. Tanfield chief Baron, the case is doubtfull, and therefore it is good to be advised, but for this time it seemeth there is a diversity where the Recognizance is Legally forced, and where it is voluntary, for in our case the Law compels this Recognizance upon the suite which the Executor prosecureth as Executor, &c. and for the Testator, and there it ought to have a resemblance of the Regionall debt, and although that the Statute appoints that the sayd shall be to the party, as Alcham Baron remembered, yet here as the pleading purports, the Bayl is to the aforesaid Executor, which implies a legall dependency upon the first suit. Then it hath been granted, and the Law is so, that if an Executor recover a debt, which was due to the Testator, and hath judgement for it, now if you will have an action upon this judgement, this ought to be in the detinet, because it is a legall pursuance of a thing given to the Testator, and not voluntary as a bond for further security or assurance, and so here the Bayl being pursuant and compulsoy, but by 5. E. 3. if it be voluntary, then it ought to be put in the Kings Bench to an Executor which is to be resembled

resembled to our case, if an Executor bring debt upon a Bayl, it ought to be as Mich. 7. Executor, and not as J. S. cleerely: Altham the Bayl in the Kings Bench is Jac. in the upon the originall suit, and so it is not here, wherefore, &c. to which it was not an Exche-
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a Feme, &c. take Husband, and one of the Debtors of the Testator promise the husband if he will forbear his suite to pay the debt, if the Husband will commence his action upon this promise, it ought to be in the name of his Wife also, because the action pursueth the Originall debt. Williams contr. it was agreed that if the Law were such, that the Action ought to be in the detinet only, then the bringing of it in the detinet and detinet is such a Rescousse as is not aided by the Statute of 18. Eliz. Nichols case, and Chamberlains case. Cook lib. 5. Tanfield chief Baron said in this case, that it is proper that the Action ought to be brought in the detinet only, but as our case is, here is no issue joyned, because here is not a negative, and an affirmative, for the declaration is, that he oweth and detaineth, and the Bar whereupon the issue is joyned is, that he oweth not, so where if his Action ought to be in the detinet, then there is not any Negative, and so no issue, which was not denied: at another day they agreed that the action ought to have bin in the detinet only, and therefore judgement was given that the Plaintiff take nothing by his bill.

Sir Henry Browns case touching the Countesse
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SIR Henry Browns case, wherein Hawkins and Moore were parties, was this, the Plaintiff declared of an ejectment of the Mannor of Kiddington, Dile, & Sale, and both not mention them to be adjacent to any Cille, and also of an 100. Acres of Land lying in the same Cille of S. and that upon not guilty pleaded, the Jury at the Assises at Oxon were ready, and then the Defendant pleaded, that the Plaintiff after the last continuance had entered into a Close called Well Close parcell of the Tenements mentioned with conclusion, and this in the Declaration he is ready to aver, and demanded judgement if it, &c. and this was before Yelverton Judge of Nisi Prius there, and now the Plea here was debated: And 1. in this case it was upon conference with all the Judges allowed, that this plea may be pleaded at the Assises well enough, and the Judge there accepting of it, had done well, but as Tanfield chief Baron said, the Judges may allow it or not, for if they perceive that it is Dilatory they may refuse it, for it is in their discretion, and therefore, &c. But by Dodderidge the Kings Serjeant, the Judge of Nisi prius is not Judge thereof, if it be well pleaded or not, but is to give day to the Parties in Court where the Suit depends to maintain this Plea, for he is only appointed Judge to take the issue, and upon such Plea he ought to discharge the Jury of the matter in issue, and record the Plea, and this is all his duty, and by him in this case here is a Discontinuance, for the parties have no day given upon the Roll as it ought to be, for the day in bank in judgement of Law is all one with the day of Nisi prius, and this is of course given to the Parties to hear Judgement only concerning the matter in issue, and here is other matter, and therefore the Judge, &c. Nota, that in all Cases where a thing is pleaded triable before other Judges, the Judge before whom it depends ought to give day to the Parties to be before the Judges where the matter is tryable, 12. E. 3. Voucher 115. and Title Day, 25. and 34. and Assise pla. 14. a Lord demands Cognizance of Pleas, day ought to be given to the franchises, or otherwise it is a discontinuance of the Nisi prius, for there ought to be a speciall day for the parties here to hear judgement in this Plea, 10. H. 7. fo. 26. so if at the Nisi prius a protection be cast, the Judges shall give day to the Parties in Bank to hear judgement, if this protection shall be allowed or not, for the Judge of Nisi prius is no Judge thereof: Also the Judge in this case ought to have discharged the Jury, & it appears not here if he had done so, & therefore

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therefore upon the whole matter it is a discontinuance, but admitting that here was no discontinuance, it seemeth that the plea was good; and I agree, that in all cases of Pleasissuable, the plea ought to be expressly shewed; so that which Countamouns, and here is shewed that which Countamouns, for when the Plaintiff in his Action had shewed the names of the Mannors, and the Towns in which the acres lies, then the Venue to try it for every parcel shall come deviciner to from all together, and by consequence it is reasonable, that the Venue for the trial of one particular to be parcel, or not parcel shall come from all, for if the plea in this case were, that the Plaintiff hath entered into the premises, this had been good, and then if it be good for the general, it seemeth it should be good for every particular; also it is clear that two may be parcel of all the three Mannors, as in this case it is admitted to be parcel of all the premises by the demurrer if so &c. Coventry, the plea here is not good, for the plea is to the writ, and the conclusion ought to be pursuant to the premises of the plea, or otherwise the plea is not good 36. H. 6. If a man plead to the writ, and conclude to the Action it is evil 20. Eliz. Dyer 361. also the plea is not good, because it is not shewed, where the land lies, wherein the entrie is alleged, and therefore if the Plaintiff had denied it, then is there no certain place, from whence the Venue should come, &c. Walter of the Inner Temple, it seemeth that the plea is good. First, this plea although it is but to the writ, yet it is peremptory as other pleas to writs are: see l. 5. E. 4. fol. — as to the conclusion of the plea, it is but matter of form, which the Clerk ought to amend, and therefore upon your general demurrer, you shall not take advantage of it, and by the Court, this is but matter of form, and not being alleged for one of the special causes agreed, that notwithstanding the demurrer be special, yet the Court ought to apply the conclusion alwayes as the matter of pleading will bear it, and therefore if a man plead to the Jurisdiction of the Court, and demand judgement of the writ, yet it is good by Newton 7. H. 6. for if the Bar be good, the writ is not maintainable, and it was said by Popham in a case in the Kings Bench 34. Eliz. that one, &c. had two issues in one plea. First, if one thing be once repeated in a plea, repetition thereof will supplie all the residue for avoiding infiniteness in repetitions. Secondly, one &c. will serve to supplie the defect in matter of form as here, and as to the Objection that the plea is not good, because no certaintie is shewed where the entrie was; it seems to me the plea therein is good, because here is no need in our case to mention the certaintie in the Declaration, for here by our plea we offer two things issuable, viz. the entrie, or not entrie. Secondly, if it be parcel of the premises, or not, and when divers things issuable are specified, it is not necessary to shew the place of any, for it is time enough to shew it in the rejoinder. 3. H. 7. 11. 3. H. 6. 8. 41. E. 3. 8. 10. H. 6. 1. 14. H. 6. 31. And therefore it was agreed in the Kings Bench, that if one pleads in Bar divers matters issuable, the Replication ought not to take issue upon any of them, but leave it to the rejoinder to the intent, that the place may be shewed therein, and so here. Secondly, here a place is sufficiently shewed by awarding of a venire facias, for it is certain enough to shew it to be parcel of the Mannors, as it was resolved in Baillies case Trin. 7. Jac. in the Court of Wards, then by the same reason it is good enough, to shew it to be parcel of all the three Mannors, for the Venue shall come from all, as it shall be to trie the issue of all, and by the demurrer here it is admitted to be parcel of all, and therefore, &c. Thirdly, he said, that the omission of the place is but matter of form, and such a thing is within the Statute of 27. Eliz. and ought to be specially set down, or otherwise the partie who demurreth shall take no advantage thereof, and to prove that it is but matter of form, he vouched the case of Hall and Goodwin in the Kings Bench Hill. 31. Eliz. and he said, that a Replication makes not the plea good, which is evil in matter of substance, and yet a Replication made to a Bar which wanteth a place, maketh the plea good, which proveth it to be but form: also he vouched the case of 34. H. 6. 2. in debt the

the Defendant pleads the receipt of parcel hanging the writ, and 34. Eliz. in the Kings Bench, between Noy and Middleton, such a plea was in Bar. Stephens, the plea is not good in matter, for the place where the entrie was made after the last continuance, ought to be shewed, for alwayes the most certainty ought to be observed for the Venue to arise, as 6. H. 7. if Trespass be brought upon the Statute of R. 2. for entering into the Mannor of D. in D. the Venue shall come from the Ville, and so here if the place be not parcel of any Mannors, yet if it lieth in any Towns mentioned in the Declaration, the Venue shall come from the Ville, and not from the Mannor, 32. H. 6. 15. three several places are mentioned, and one pleaded a bred dated at the place aforesaid, it is not good: also here it seemeth, if the party will plead, and not demur, the want of place ought to be shewed in the rejoinder, as it hath been conceived on the other side, but if he will not reple, but demur upon the Bar, the plea in Bar is not good: Trin. 40. Eliz. in B. R. Rot. 1023. an Action of Covenant was brought by a Bishop of a Lessee, and no place alledged where the assignment was made, and a demurrer thereupon, and adjudged that the plea was not good, and there it was also agreed, that it was not matter of foyn, and so here: see after.

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Tanfield chief Baron excepted to the form of an entrie for the King which was, that Posse the Justices of Assise Deliberaverunt Tenorem placiti, &c. for by him the Presidents in the Kings Bench ore, quod deliberaverunt recordum predictum, which as he thought was the best, but after upon the view of a President shewed, where an exception was taken in Baron Manwoods case, upon a writ of error in the Exchequer Chamber after judgement given here, and the entrie then allowed to be good, and upon the view also of others Presidents shewed by Turner Master of the pleas, the chief Baron and all the Court agreed, and resolved, that the entrie of Tenorem placiti, or Tenorem recordi, is as good or better, then recordum predictum, &c. and therefore nothing was spoken to that exception: see the President of pleading in Stradling and Morgans case Plowden, where it is Tenorem placiti.

Sir Anthony Ashleys case.

It was agreed by all the Court in Sir Anthony Ashleys case, that if the King be intituled to the profits by an outlawry, and after B. assigns a debt to the King, and the King had granted the profits which accrued by the outlawry to Ashley, yet the lands of Ashley may be extended for this debt, for the King had no interest in the land, but only the profits for the outlawry, and therefore it may be extended for debt, per Curiam, quere, if so for a common person.

Ewer against Moil, Hill. 8. Jac.
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The case was this, that a Commission issued out of the Chancery to Baron Sotherton and others, and this was in 7. Jac. to inquire what lands and Tenements the late Prior of Bister in Com. Oxon. had in Caversfield, in the County of Bucks, and to inquire if a rent reserved upon a grant made to Banbury of the lands of the Priory be arreare, or not, and by vertue thereof, the Jury of the County of Bucks found that the Church of Bister in the County of Oxon. was founded by the name of the Church of Saint Mary, and Saint Egbert, and that Thomas Banbury Prior in the year, &c. made a lease to one Banbury of the

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the moitie of the Mannor of Caversfield rendring rent, and that this rent was arrear, and thereupon an Inquisition returned, and a scire facias issued to Moil, who occupied the land, to shew cause wherefore the King should not have this land, whereupon he pleaded as Ter-tenant, and upon this plea the Kings Attorney demurred, but it was misentred as see hereafter, but for divers great imperfections as well in the Kings Commission as otherwise, the Defendant ought to have judgement as all the Barons agreed, as by the arguments of every Baron upon mature deliberation appeareth, but for the reasons of the Barons to the exceptions taken by the Council, see after for they are very good. Bromley Justice Baron, whereas the Inquisition purporteth, that the Jurors in the County of Bucks, have found a foundation of a Priory in the County of Oxon. that is not good by course of Law, for if a thing be local, the Jurors of another County cannot finde it, and here the Commission giveth power only to inquire of things in the County of Bucks, and he vouched Plowden in the Earl of Leicesters case upon a Commission, directed to White Lord and Baron &c. also the Inquisition is, that Thomas Banbury Nuper Priory was seised, and made a conveyance: as is affirmed, that is not good: also the word Nuper may be intended a 100. years before, and so no certainty as appears in Wrothely and Adams case in Plowden: Altham 20. Baron, there are three faults in the Commission. First, is to inquire of a Mannor and lands of the late Priory of Bister in Caversfield, in the County of Bucks, and by these words, no power is given to inquire of any thing concerning the Priory which is in the County of Oxon. and the words in the County of Bucks do defer to all the sentence precedent, and not to the word Caversfield only, 19 E. 4. fo. 16 7. H. 6. fo. 8. if A. B. and C. be insula de D. it shall be construed that the word insula hath reference to all the three Towns, but if it were in A. B. and C. insula, and not in insula, then it is otherwise, a Commission to inquire of lands of the Priory of Bister is evil without question where Bister is, and he said that this may be proved by Pages case Cook lib. 5. also the Commission doth not propose any end wherefore the Jury should be, but generally to inquire of the lands of the Priory at the time of the dissolution, so that it may be certified to the King by the Inquisition: the first fault which is found is, that the Priory was founded by the name of the Church of Saint Mary, and Saint Egbert without saying the Priory and Covent of &c. and without finding of the place of the foundation, viz. Bister, and this cannot be without assignment of the place of the foundation, viz. Bister: also the finding is, that one Thomas Banbury then Priory as is affirmed, made a feoffment &c. and this is not good, because it ought to be absolutely found, or otherwise it is not material: also the intent of the feoffment is found to be made by the Priory, but no livery is found thereupon, as it ought, although that livery shall be intended in the case of a feoffment pleaded by a common person, yet it ought to be found expressly, in the case of a Corporation, and the finding here, and that by virtue whereof he was seised, as the Law requireth doth not aide the case. Snig Baron, it seems to me, that this Commission was only to inform, if the matter had been sufficient to us to give judgement to the King, but here being to inform, &c. it is not good, the Commission is to inquire for the King of the lands of the Priory, and this merely incertain without saying certainly of what Priory, and therefore they have no power to inquire of the lands of the Priory: also the Jury of the County of Bucks, cannot inquire of the name of the foundation of a Corporation in the County of Oxon, for the foundation is matter Local, but it seems to me here, that the finding by virtue whereof he was seised pro ut, &c. shall be intended that livery was made being by a verdict. Tanfield chief Baron, here is not any demurrer being mis-entred, and therefore we have power to proceed to any matter in Law, for the purpose in this case was, that whereas the Statute of the 27. H. 8. of lesser Monasteries under the yearly value of 200. l. giveth them to the King, and this Mannor of Caversfield within this Statute is to be seised as is pretended in this case, whereupon this Commission

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issued to inform the King of this Mannor as parcel of these Revenues, for I deny that it is an office of intruding, it is only an office of instruction, for the Statute of 27. H. 8. dissolves the smaller Monasteries, and vests them actually in the King, and this is the difference from the Statute of the 31. H. 8. for this Statute is only an Act to Abolish the lands of dissolved Monasteries, and therefore this Statute is only to inform, for the Statute of 27. H. 8. had intitled the King, and he said, that the land shall be in the King without office, so that it being but an office of instruction, this may be good, notwithstanding divers incertainties therein contained; but the plain and apparant fault herein is, because it is not to inquire what lands the Prior had at the time of the dissolution, as it ought to be, for the words are to inquire what lands the late Prior had, but it seems to me in this case, that the Jurors of the County of Bucks, may inquire of the foundation in another County without doubt, this being but to inform and not to intitle, and this is not alike mischief to the party, for otherwise all Commissions to inform would be quashed, and I have seen a Record in this Court, where a man of a good family was found to be the Kings Villain regardant to a Mannor in Norfolk, and this was done by a Jury in Suffolk, and therefore in such cases (God defend) but that a Jury may finde a matter local in another County: also a gross defect is in the Inquisition, viz. because it doth not mention that the Mannor of Caversfield came to the King by the Statute of the 27. H. 8. but that the Priory came to the King by that Statute, and doth not say, that this Mannor was part of the possessions of the Priory at the time of dissolution, and for these last matters it is apparent, that the Inquisition, and Commission are vitious, although it be not proper for us, as the case is to adjudge it, for here is no demurrer joyned, for the demurrer is joyned, as if it were upon an Information of intrusion, and here is no intrusion laid to the charge of the Defendant, and yet after the plea pleaded by Moil, the Attorneys prayed that he may be convicted of the intrusion, and Moil said, that he ought to shew matter sufficient, whereupon he upon the intrusion aforesaid ought to be convicted, so that a thing is demanded of us to give our judgement in which is not in question before us, and therefore no judgement at all may be given here, wherefore it is not needful for us to dispute other matters in the case, and as to the questions in Law, which were argued by George Crook, and others, Tanfield chief Baron, nor Alcham spoke not at all, because they might come before them again to be adjudged upon a better office: but Bromley and Snig Barons spoke to the matters in Law, and their opinions were as follow, and upon the plea of Moil the case was this, that the Tenant pleaded protestando, that the Priory of Bister was not founded by the name of the Priory of Saint Mary, and Saint Egbert of Bister, as the inquisition suppoeth, for plea he saith; that our Thomas Banbury Prior of the Church of Saint Mary, and Saint Egbert of Bister infeoffed him of the Mannor of Caversfield by the name of the Priory of his Mannor of Caversfield, as also by the name of all his lands and Tenements in Caversfield, and that the said feoffment was made by the name of the Prior of Saint Egbert of Bister, and that it was known aswel by the name of Saint Egbert as Saint Mary, and that the Mannor of Caversfield was well known by the name of the Priory of the Mannor of Caversfield, and that the Prior had no other land in Caversfield, and shewed also, that there is another in Caversfield, which is called Langstons Mannor, the which heretofore was the Priors, and allotted as a Poitie of a Mannor, in the same Mannor of Caversfield, and those and other circumstances he used in his plea to the intent to shew, that all the land of the Priory shall pass to him, and he shewed that this Mannor sold to him was known by the name of Langstons Mannor. Bromley Baron, the Corporation is mis-named in the Grant, because it is a thing material, viz. the omission of the word Saint Mary, for the name of assent in a body politick is, as the name of Baptisme in a body natural, and the name of Baptisme cannot be mis-named, as it appears 3. H. 6. and 1. H. 7. if Iohn by the name of Thomas make an Ob-

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ligation this shall not binde him if he doth not admit it, and therefore it shall not conclude the King, see the 11. Eliz. Dyer 279. where in some cases the estate shall pass by livery and seisin, by what name soever it be made, but a Copporation cannot pass an estate from them, but by Charter, and it may be conceived, that the founder intended two things; the one was Religion, or more properly superstition, the other was, that it may remain to posterity, as a Monument of the piety of his Ancestors, and then if the name should be altered, the remembrance would also decay, and therefore what name soever is first imposed, ought alwayes to be observed: and that the omission of Saint is material, and he vouched Eaton Colledge case, 3. and 4. Ma. Dyer and 35. H. 6. 31. the case of the foundation of Saint Peter and Paul &c. but he agreed the case in 11. Eliz. Dyer 278. that omission of the word undivided is not prejudicial, because no material variance. Secondly, it seemed, that all the Priors Mannor of Caversham passed by this grant, for by 10. H. 6. and 12. H. 6. it appears, that a feofment of 20. Acres by the name of a Mannor is good, and 6. and 7. E. 6. Dyer, if a man grant his Mannor in S. containing 10. Acres, yet if it contain 20. Acres it is good, and the word Omnia, greatly inforceeth the case as it seemeth, wherefore, &c. Snig Baron said, that the mis-naming is a material variance which avoids the grant, also it seemeth, that Omnia alia shall not be intended to refer to more then was granted by the other words, except there were other lands besides the Mannor, and therefore he thought that only a Poity of the Priors Mannor passed; super totam materiam.

Sir Henry Browns case before.

HObert Attorney general, it seems to me that the plea is not good for divers causes: see the beginning before, fol. — he said, that first every issuable plea ought to express a place, but if the issue be triable by the Record, or witnesses, a place is not necessary, 11. H. 7. fo. 1. if there be no place, there is no plea, and therefore if it be beyond the Sea it is no plea. Secondly, in our case there is no place alleged from whence the venue should come to trie the entrie in this case to be of all the premises, for it is to trie the entrie, but in one particular parcel, but I agree as it hath been said of the other part, if the entrie had been alleged to be in the premises, then the venue shall come from all the premises, for here the plea of the entrie pleaded by the Defendant is double, and yet it is good, because of necessity it cannot be otherwise intended in this case, but I cannot plead in this case, that I have not entered into two Closes parcel of the premises, for that is Negative pregnant as is in 9. H. 6. fo. 44. in debt upon a bond where the Defendant was bound to require a horse, the Defendant said, that A. by the command of the Plaintiff disturbed him, the Plaintiff shall not be admitted to reply that A. did not disturb him by his command, but by protestation that A. did not disturb him, for plea that the Plaintiff did not command him, &c. 6. H. 6. fo. 9. in a writ of entrie the Tenant pleads, that the demandant confirmed after the last continuance, the demandant shall not say, that he did not confirm after the last continuance, 5. E. 3. fo. 1. in a per quæ servitia of the grant to the husband and wife, the Defendant said, that the wife released while she was sole, the other cannot reply that she did not release when she was sole, but ought to deny the deed: and so in our case if you will say by protestation, that the place where the entrie is supposed is not parcel, &c. for plea, that you have not entered after the last continuance, then the issue ought to be joyned, if we please or not, and this shall not have any reference to the premises, but only to the two Closes, and then the venue shall come from the two Closes; wherefore, &c. also by this plea so uncertain the Plaintiff is prejudiced, for admit, that in this case Hawkins the Defendant had re-entered before the day of nisi prius, this had made our writ good again, as appears

pears by 26. H. 8. fo. 10. and 36. H. 6. and 8. H. 7. and then if here the Defendant will say that the Plaintiff had entred before the issue, now it shall not be touching the premisses; Also peradventure if he will assign the place, this may fall out to be in another County, then where the Action was brought, for so it may be, and yet parcell of the premisses, and so he may give us cause to demur. Also to say cleerely that the Plaintiff had entred, &c. is not good. for it ought to be that the Plaintiff also expelled or moved the Defendant, as appears in the book of Entries, Tit. Debt or Lease, fo. 11. or 12. and fo. 175. B. also here the Plea is double to say in one close called Well Close, and this is matter of substance, whereof we may take advantage notwithstanding this general Demurrer. And also he saith it is parcell of the tenements mentioned in the Declaration, & this may be, and yet never parcell of the thing whereof the Action is brought, for there are other Things therein comprehended within the pernome: And as to the objection of Serjeant Dodderidge, that here is a discontinuance because the Plea is not continued by the Judge of Nisi prius into this Court here, it seemeth that this needs not, notwithstanding that it be a collateral Plea in this Court, in Trin. Term at the Assises, but it is that the parties aforesaid do attend in Octab. Mich. and the continuing untill the Assises is but with a Nisi prius, &c. and by expresse words the the Parties have day to attend to hear judgement, and at the Assises to try the issue, and this is a sufficient continuance: and as to that the Judges of Nisi prius ought upon this Plea to discharge the Jury, to that it seemeth that the relinquishing of the issue joyner, and the acceptance of this new Plea is a discharge in Law. Also the Judges of Nisi prius have no power to give day in the Court here to the Parties, for the Court here is to appoint the day in the book of the other part, § 37. H. 6. fo. 2. is only that the Judges of Nisi prius give to the parties their day, viz. the ordinarie day, and not another day, and the cases tit. Voucher, and tit. Journ. in Fitz. cited of the other part are, where the Plea is to be put in another Court, as Durham, &c. where the parties have no day before, and there a day ought to be given, but that is apparantly different from our case. Nichols Serjeant to the contrary, admit that the Action had been brought of the Mannor of D. only, and the entry had been alleged in parcell as here it is, then it had been good, see the Book of Entries tit. Debt or Lease, 11. or 12. accordingly, and by the same reasons it seemeth, the Action being brought for the ejectment of three Mannors, & the entry was pleaded to be in one Close, parcell of the Tenements, and good, for the venue shall come from all, as well from one Close, as from the other. Also here the entry is alleged to be in parcell of the Tenements, and not of the premisses, and so the venue for the tryall ought to be from the three Towns where the odde Acres lye, and not from the Mannor; also and by a reasonable intendment it may be conceived that the place where &c. lyeth in all the three Towns, 36. H. 6. fo. 17. the Defendant saith, that the place where &c. is parcell of the Mannor of B. that he intituled himself unto, he needs not shew where the Mannor lyeth, and yet it shall be intended in the same County, and although that in such case it is said to be shewed in certain, by the Book in 6. E. 6. Dyer fo. 76. yet this doth not prove that it ought to be of necessity, and here by the shewing of the Plaintiff he had confest the matter of fact, which is an entry into parcell of the Premises, and by consequence he falsified his Wit. for if he confesse that he had entred into any parcell thereof whereof he brought his Action, he had falsified his Wit cleerely, & heouched 21. H. 6. fo. 8. and 6. Eliz. Dyer 226. in a Ejectione firme against Nevell and others, it is said that by a Demurrer to such a Plea, the Plaintiff had confessed the Entry, but otherwise it should be if he had imparled, see Bowld and Mullinexes case in Dyer fo. 14. for the shewing of a place, &c. and l. 5. E. 4. fo. 138. an Executor pleads fully administered, and at the Nisi prius he pleads that the Plaintiff recovered part of the Debt in D. after the last continuance, and a good Plea, although it be not shewed in what County D. is: Also it seemeth that day ought to be given in this Plea, or otherwise it is a discon-

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discontinuance, for the day given upon the Roll is to bear judgement upon the verdict, and this plea is Collateral. wherefore, &c. and he vouched 10. H. 7. fo. 27 and 7. E. 3. fo. 338. by Herl, where a difference was taken when a day in Bank shall be given, and when not, and he vouched 4. and 5. Eliz. Dyer 218. where Fitz. Justice gave day in Bank. Tanfield chief Baron, true it is, that if it be in an Assise which commenceth originally before the Judge of Assise he may give day. Nichols also vouched 33. H. 6. and 11. E. 4. fo. 13. Hobert Attorney general, the demurrer doth not confess the plea when it is insufficient, but if upon the demurrer the plea be adjudged sufficient, then the fact is confessed, for the demurrer only confesseth the matter of the plea conditionally, viz. if it be good in the matter of the case, in 6. Eliz. Dyer 226. the Plaintiff conceived, that the plea there ought not to be pleaded in an ejectment after the last continuance, and did not demur for the form, and a demurrer doth not confess the plea good, although that the matter is true, and the Book in 21. H. 6. doth not prove against me, for that was of an actual confession, but in 37. H. 6. the issue joyned was, if he who prays to be received, may plead the entrie of the demandant after the last continuance, and the cause of the demurrer there, was only if he could plead that plea or not, because it appears not, if he had anything in reversion or no, and so it seemeth, that we might have demurred specially, and this had been no confession, and therefore the general demurrer shall not prejudice us, for the matter of confession. Bromley Justice Baron, it seemeth the plea is not good, because a place is not assigned in certain in what Town the entrie is, others Towns being alledged, it seemeth that it is no discontinuance, for there needs no special day to be given, but the day of return of the nisi prius, for they cannot give any day being delegate only to a special purpose, and it seems to me, that the demurrer doth not confess the plea of the Defendant, but conditionally, viz. if the plea fall out to be good, for otherwise the Plaintiff shall be oured to take advantage of a bad plea, and so upon the whole matter, it seems that judgement shall be given in the ejectment firme for the Plaintiff. Alcham second Baron, to the same purpose, there needs no special day to be given by the Judge of nisi prius, although that it be upon a Collateral matter, or plea, for by the record in this Court a day is given to the Jurors conditionally, viz. if the Justices of nisi prius at the Assises do not come, &c. but to the parties it is given absolutely: see 6. Assises pla. 7. and L. 5. E. 4. fo. 2, 3, and 4. where there are several cases to this purpose: see 9. E. 3. 21. H. 6. fo. 10. if the Defendant make default, at nisi prius, a new distress shall issue to the same Jurors to be here in Bank, and 3. H. 6. fo. 8. and 9. if a man appear, and plead, he shall never take advantage of any discontinuance: Also it seemeth that the plea is not good, and to say, that the word Tene-mentorum refers only to the odde acres, and not to the Hannoy, it seemeth, that it refers to all: but if it shall be taken to refer only to the odde Acres, yet this is not good, and this is proved by the Book in L. 5. E. 4. fo. 110. for a plea to the writ, ought to be alwayes certain, and this case also answereth, that which hath been said, that the demurrer confesseth the matter against the Plaintiff, for I say if you plead a release in Bar of a debt, and shew no place where the release was made, this demurrer is no confession of the release, except that the cause of the demurrer fall out against me, wherefore in respect that the plea is not good, and is peremptory to the Defendant, as other pleas to the writs are, for this cause I conceive Judgement shall be given for the Plaintiff. Snig Baron accordingly, that the plea is not good, for the not shewing of a place certain wherein the entrie was, as by the matter of discontinuance, it seemeth that the day of nisi prius is all one with the day in Bank, and therefore there needs no day to be given, and for that the death of any of the parties after the verdict, and before the day in Bank shall not stay the judgement, the Books which were cited on the other parts are different from our case, for there the suit was adjourned into another Court, and the Courts in the Country are not as the Courts here, and therefore it was ne-
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cessary, that in such cases a day ought to be given: for the manner of pleading we ought to give judgement against him who pleads the plea, notwithstanding the matter admitted by the Plaintiff, wherefore judgement shall be given for the Plaintiff. Tanfield chief Baron accordingly, the plea whereupon the issue was joyned, was for three Mannors and lands in three Towns, and entrie is alledged to be in two Closes called &c. parcel of the premises, in Bar of the Action, if the Defendant in lieu of not guilty plead an affirmative plea, and at nisi prius he pleads another plea, then the entrie ought to be, that the Defendant relicta verificatione &c. but in our case such an entrie needs not; the plea here ought to be more certain then others, for two reasons. First, it is pleaded in abatement of the writ. Secondly, it is in delay of the Plaintiff, and to which no rejoinder can be made, as to the plea it seemeth this is not good, for by 10. H. 7. fo. 16. a quare impedit was brought by an Administrator of a grantee of a next avoidance, and shewed that the Bishop of Sarum granted Administration to him, the Defendant saith, that the intestate had bona notabilia in divers Diocesses, and so the Administration void, and shewed in what Diocesses the goods were, but shewed no place where they were, and therefore it was adjudged, that the plea was not good, because he did not shew a place &c. see 2. R. 3. and 5. H. 7. accordingly, and this plea shall not be amended by a rejoinder, as is 21. H. 7. also to say parcel of the premises, this cannot be intended, that parcel of three Mannors, or of the three Towns in certain, and therefore the plea cannot be good, because there is no place from whence the venue should come, and it is inconvenient, that the venue should come from all, if the place where, &c. lies but in one Town, for as it appears in Arundels case; Cook lib. 6. if a Mannor be alledged to be within a Town, the venue shall come from the Town, because it is a place more certain: as to the general demurrer, that the plea aforesaid, is lesse sufficient in Law, &c. in 18. E. 4. it appears, that in debt upon an Obligation, the Plaintiff doth not shew a place where the Obligation &c. and the Defendant confessed the Action, yet notwithstanding this fault, Judgement ought to be given against the Defendant, but this differeth from our case, because here is an express confession, and in our case here is not: also here needs not to be shewed any special cause of demurrer, but advantage may be taken well enough upon the general demurrer, but if the demurrer were, that the plea amounted to the general issue only, there ought to be shewed a special cause, or otherwise no advantage to be taken, and he cited the agreement of seven Judges, to be at Serjeants Inne in Fleetstreet, this Term in a writ of Error in Dickenson's case; the case intended was between White and Priest, parties in an Action upon Trover and conversion, and the Record thereof is in the Kings Bench, Trin. 7. Jac. Rot. 843. as to the matter in Law, touching the discontinuance for want of a day given by the Judge of nisi prius, it seemeth there is no discontinuance in this case, for there needs not to be any day given as our case is, yet in some case the Judge of nisi prius ought to give day, but that shall not be a new day, but only the day within contained, and that but in special cases, viz. if the issue be joyned, and at the shewing of the evidence there is a demurrer, here the Judge giveth to the party the day within contained, as it appears in 10. H. 8. Rot. 835. and Hill. 11. H. 8. accordingly in the Common Pleas, but Hill. 36. Eliz. Rot. 448. upon nonsuit at the Assises no day given, so if the party confess the Action, and so if there be a bill of exceptions, yet no day shall be given; Hill. 38. Eliz. Rot. 331. in the Kings Bench, but peradventure, it will be said, that these Authorities do not match with our case, because it is upon a material plea, but I say it is all one, and therefore in case of a release pleaded after the last continuance this is received, and yet no day given as appears Hill. 4. H. 8. Rot. 906. in the Common Pleas, and this was upon a new and Collateral matter, as our case is: Trin. 20. H. 8. Rot. 247. or 2447. upon an Arbitrament pleaded, and he deuched divers other precedents upon the same point: Trin. 3. H. 8. 446. or 466.

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and 14 H. 8. Rot. and 11. H. 8. Rot. 446. and Mich. 31. H. 6. Rot. 141. and. Hill. 33. H. 6. Nota, that here it was admitted without any doubt, that an Ejectione firmæ lyeth of a *Manor*, although it was said at the Bar, that Williams Justice was of opinion to the contrary the last assizes at Norwich: and so by all, Judgement was entred for the Plaintiff immediately, and a *Writ of Error* was brought, but never prosecuted, for the Countesse of Pembroke had day given to remove her goods out of the *Hansford House*, and so she relinquished the possession of all the premises, as I heard.

Trespasse against *Gibson and others.*

Vpon evidence to a Jury, an Action of Trespas against Gibson and others, it appears that the Defendant was Deputy to the Duke of Lenox, upon his Patent of *Uriage*, and that by vertue thereof, he pretended to make search of certaine Stuffs called new Drapery which the Plaintiffs were carrying to London, and at the Town of Ware two or three strangers affirming themselves to be servants of the said Gibson, did unpack the said Drapery, and laid it in the dirt, whereby the Plaintiffs were hindered of the sale, &c. And in this case it was agreed, if they as Servants to Gibson without his precedent appointment doe seise the Plaintiffs goods, and the said Gibson approve them to be seised, although his Servants without his consent abuse the goods, yet Gibson shall be Trespasster ab initio. Also they agreed without any scruple, although that the first seizure of these goods be admitted to be lawfull as by the pretence of license in Law, yet the abusing of them makes the originall seizure to be wrongfull, and trespas lyeth, and therefore in this case, although it were not proved that Gibson himself appointed, or was privy to the misusing aforesaid, yet he shall be charged in damages, and so he was for severall seizures in an Action to 32. pounds, viz. 30. l. for one seizure, and 2. l. for another seizure, and so severall damages for severall Trespasles in one Action, and although that by the abusing of an Authority or licence in fact a man shall not be a Trespasster ab initio: but an Action upon the Case lyeth, yet for misusing of an Authority in Law, Trespas lyeth ab initio, for if he who hath power to seise, *Entraves*, will labour the *Entrav*, a Trespas lyeth for the seising thereof, *Bagshews case*, Hill. 4. *Jacobi in the Kings Bench.*

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Hutton Serjeant came to the Bar, and shewed that one Bromley had before his time made a Lease for years in County Palatine of Durham, of certaine *Cole-mines* in that County, rendring rent 100. l. per annum, which rent is arreare for divers years, and that Bromley became outlawed here in the Common Pleas for debt at the Suit of Cullamour a Merchant, and that the King had granted this debt due upon this Lease for years as forfeited for outlawry unto him: And Hutton for the Bishop said, that it belongs to him, because he had all the goods of men outlawed within his County, and if this debt belongs to the King, or the Bishop, it was the doubt, the party being outlawed in the County of Northumberland which is out of the County Palatine of Durham: Tanfield chief Baron said that the debt shall follow the person, and he said that in 21. Eliz. Vere and Jefferies case, it was a question, if debt upon a Bond shall be forfeited to him, who had such a privilege where the Bond is, and he said that in this case it

it was resolved that he shall have the Bond and debt (who had Bona utlagatorum) where the Bond is, and so it was resolved as he said in a Case referred out of the Realm of Ireland, but here is a debt which accrueth by reason of a real contract of goods in the County Palatine, and he who is Debtor is the party outlawed, but not in the County Palatine of Durham: And Hutton Serjeant said, that he had the Rolle of a Case in this Court in the time of E. 3. that the Bishop of Durham was allowed a debt in a more strong case then this is, for there a Creditor was outlawed in London, and his Bond was also in London, and the Debtor was only an Inhabitant within the County Palatine, yet the Bishop was allowed this debt: Curia put in your Claim, and we will allow that which is reasonable, and it was adjourned.

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Isabell Fortescues case.

Vpon a motion it was shewed by Coventry, that upon a penalty imposed upon Isabell Fortescue for her Recusancy, and Inquisition issued, and it was found by the Jury that the said Isabell was seised of no Lands, but those mentioned in a Schedule to the Inquisition annexed, and then exprest divers particulars in the Schedule, without expresse finding that she was seised of them, this is no good Inquisition, nor finding of any seisin, by the whole Court: And so by the Court, where an Inquisition or Schedule saith, that the said Isabell was seised of the Mannor of D. as by information, this is not good cleerely, for it may be she is seised without information, but where it was shewed that upon this insufficient Inquisition, divers summes of money were levied, and paid into the Kings Coffers, that this may be restored: The Court answered, it doth not appear, but that the King may by a new Inquisition have this money justly, therefore it shall not be delivered out of the Kings Coffers, but if you move good matter in equity to be discharged in your English Bill, you shall have restitution, &c.

Brokenburies case.

The Kings Debtor suffered A. to manure his Land, and therefore the Sheriff seised the goods of A. for this debt, whereupon A. (to the intent to have his goods again) paid the Fees to the Sheriff, and made a Bond to the King to pay the Summe due: And now upon a motion and Affidavit that the Debtor himself had sufficient to satisfy the debt due; it was ordered by the Court, that the Fees taken by the Sheriff shall be restored to A. and that the Bond remaine in the Office here, and if this debt can be levied of the lands, or goods of the Debtor, the Bond shall be delivered to A. but if it fall out that it cannot be levied of the Debtor, then the King shall resort to A. upon this Bond, and he shall have the assistance of this Court for his reliefe against the said Brokenbury the Debtor.

Robert Bechets case touching Recusancy.

Robert Becket seised of divers Lands in Fee in the County of Cornwall, upon an Indictment in 28. Eliz. was convicted of Recusancy for 10. moneths next before, and died in 1. Jacobi, and no other conviction ever was, and yet

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de facto he continued a Recusant untill his death, and his Land, viz. two parts thereof were seised in his life, and the King answered of 200. l. thereof, which incurred in the moneths contained in the Indictment, and now a Writ is issued which supposeth the said Robert to be indebted to the King in 20. l. for every moneth he lived after 28. Eliz. untill 1. Jacobi for his Recufancy, which amounted to 4000. l. which Writ altho commands to enquire what Lands the said Robert Becket had at the time of his death, and thereupon it was found that he had divers Lands, &c. and upon a Scire facias to the Terretenants to shew cause wherefore two parts of the Lands of the said Robert Becket should not now be seised for the debt of the Recusant aforesaid, one Henry Becket as Terretenant, or Tenant of the Premises pleaded that the King is satisfied of all the 20. l. and for all the moneths that the said Robert was convicted to be a Recusant, and he vouched the Constable thereof under the hand of the Deputy of the Pipe Office, and for the residue he said that by 28. Eliz. cap. 6. it is amongst other things enacted, that if any person which hath not repaired, or shall not repaire to some Church, Chappell, or usuall place of Common Prayer, but hath forborne, or shall forbear the same, contrary to the Tenor of the Statute of 23. Eliz. cap. 1. and hath been heretofore convicted for such offence, shall forfeit, &c. provided that if he hath made submission, and been conformable according to the true meaning of the said Statute, or shall fortune to dye, that then no forfeiture of 20. l. for any moneth, or for seisure of the Lands of the same offender, from and after such submission and conformity, or death, and full satisfaction of all the arrearages of 20. l. monethly before such seisure due or payable, shall ensue, or be continued against such Offendor, and traverfeth without that, that there is any Record besides this Writ, to charge the said Robert Becket deceased, of or for the summe of 4000. l. towards our said Lord the King, &c. and so prayeth to be discharged thereof. Upon which Plea the Kings Attorney Generall demurred, and Coventry argued that the Plea is good, & he said that there are three Points to be considered; First, that if a man be convicted of Recufancy in 28. Eliz. for 10. moneths then passed, and de facto continueth a Recusant untill his death in 1. Jac. without other conviction, if now the King can claim 20. l. a moneth for more moneths then are contained in the Indictment whereupon he is convicted. Secondly, admit that the King may have the forfeiture for every moneth, whereof no conviction was as well as if a conviction had been, then if the King can seise the Lands for the payment thereof after his death, no seisure being had for it in his life, by the Stat. of the 28. Eliz. or if the power of seisure be altogether gone by the death of the Recusant. Thirdly, admitting that the King shall have more then is contained within the Indictment, if the Debt it self be not gone by the death of the Recusant; To the first Point, there is no President to be found that any man convicted before 28. Eliz. was charged to the Payment of more then that which was within the Indictment, and the words of the Statute of 28. Eliz. contained within this Clause which provides for the payment due since the Conviction, do not enforce any construction to the contrary, and in this Clause the words being, (do yet remain unpaid) are not proper words but for a thing payable before this Statute, for so many moneths whereof he was convicted of Recufancy, and the words without any other conviction are to be understood for so much as was unpaid of that contained in the Indictment, and the last Clause of this Branch of the Statute hath not the words without any conviction, and the other Clause provides that by expresse words for the future time, every person who shall be once convicted shall forfeit, &c. without other conviction, and it was resolved Hill. 4. Jacobi in the Kings Bench between Grinstone and Oliver, that the Statute of 28. Eliz. alters, and adds three things to the Statute of 23. Eliz. 1. That all the money due for Recufancy shall be paid into the Exchequer. 2. This limits a time for payment thereof yearly, viz. in the four Terms of the year. 3. This giveth a penalty, viz. power to seise all the goods, and two parts for non-payment, but all

all that is only for that which was payable before the conviction, and therefore the words in the Branch which contains our Case, have apt words of construction, that he shall pay all due for the paine of seisure, for 23. Eliz. gives no seisure, but imprisonment if payment be not made within three moneths after judgement, and so in our case Conviction ought to precede the duty: To the second Point it seemeth that the power of seisure within this Statute is gone by the death of the Recusant, for before the Statute of 1. Jacobi the power for seisure was but a penalty, that if the party fail in payment of 20. l. a moneth then &c. and in all cases upon penall Laws, if the party die before the penalty inflicted, this shall not be inflicted at all, and that this is but a penalty, he vouched one Grayes case in 1. and 2. Jacobi to be adjudged accordingly: Also the words in this Statute which give the seisure of Land, appointeth a leuying to be of the 3. part for the maintenance of the Offendor, his Wife, Children, and Family, and after his death he hath no Wife, so that if it be demanded when the seisin must be, the answer is, then when a third part may be left for his use, which cannot be but in the life of the Recusant: Also it appoints that the seisure ought to be by Procelle which ought to be in the life of the party by interment: Also the Proviso of the Statute of 28. Eliz. saith, that if any person shall dye, no seisure shall issue, or be continued, and our case is within those words, for in regard there hath been no seisure in his life, therefore after his death no seisure ought to issue, and the words which purpose another semblance of construction, viz. and satisfaction of all arrearages, are to be understood only in case where there was a former seisure, that is in the life of the party, and have reference to the words (to be continued) and that the intent is so, he said that the words are, so that the Heir shall pay no more but so much as the Land was seised for. To the third, it seemeth that in this case the debt itself is gone by the death of the party: At the Common Law, a penalty shall never be recovered against the Heir, except that judgement be given against the Ancestor, and for that see 40. E. 3. Executors 74. and 41. Ass. pl. 15. and 15. Eliz. Dyer 322. And also if a Recusant had been convicted upon the Stat. of 23. Eliz. and dyed before judgement, cleerely this forfeiture shall never be charged upon the Heir, for the words are, that a Recusant shall forfeit 20. l. a moneth, and if he doe not pay it, then appoints the recovery by Bill, Plaint, or Information, and this ought to be alwaies in the life of the party, then the Stat. of 28. Eliz. maketh not a new debt or forfeiture, but gives a penalty for the non-payment of that which was a debt within 23. Eliz. and that the intent of the Stat. of 28. Eliz. was but such, this is proved by the Title of the Act, viz. for the more speedy and due execution, &c. 2. It is proved by the first words of the Act, for the avoiding of all delays, &c. so that it appears, that this Act is but as a penalty meely: Also he said, that this Stat. of 28. Eliz. dispenceth with the conviction as to the penalty, but doth not take away the Conviction: also he said that conviction without Judgement maketh not a Debt: Also he who is convicted by proclamation, and dieth, is discharged: Also he said that our Case hath been compared to a Debt upon an Obligation, but this is not like, for the Stat. stands not indefinite, but hath reference to 23. for otherwise a Recusant may be doubly charged, that is, upon both the Statutes, for there is no means to recover the Debt but by this Statute of 23. Eliz. See Sir Edward Walgraves case Dyer 231.

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Wentworth and his Wife, and Rich and his Wife brought an Ejectione firmæ against Stanley, and shewed in their Declaration how one Edward Stanley was seised in fee, and infeoffed the Earl of Darby & others to the

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the use of himself for life, the remainder to the use of the Plaintiffs wife for 100 years, and died, and the Plaintiffs entered, and the Defendant ejected them &c. and this Feoffment was made in 40. Eliz. the Defendant saith, that long before one Richard Stanley was seised in Fee, and gave it to the said Edward Stanley in tail, and that he so seised made a Feoffment to the uses as is alleged, and died, and the Plaintiffs entered, and the Defendant as issue of the Feoffor re-entered, and so by his presence he is remitted, whereupon it was demurred; and upon the opening this case, the Barons were clear of opinion, that the issue in tail is remitted, and came paramount the lease, and so the lease for years is gone: also by the chief Baron, and Baron Snig, there needs no Traverse to be alleged by the Plaintiffs, because it was but of a fee gained in an instant by the feoffment of a Tenant in tail, and a fee-simple gained in an instant needeth not to be Traversed: 5. H. 7. and 2. E. 4. wherefore the Court said, that judgement ought to be given against the Plaintiffs, but yet at the desire of the some, the Court gave day to the Counsel on both parts to argue the case, at which day came Heneag Finch for the Plaintiffs, and he argued to the matter in Law, and therein he said, that by the feoffment of Tenant in tail, the use to himself for life, the remainder to his daughters for years, without limiting the residue of the use, that in this case the residue of the use shall be in the feoffees, and not in the feoffor, for by him there is a difference between a feoffment by him who had a fee with limitation of an use as above, and a feoffment made by him who derives an estate out of a fee, for when Tenant for life, or Tenant in tail makes a feoffment, and limits an use for part of the estate as above, there the residue of the use shall be to the feoffee, and he bought Castle and Dods case adjudged in the Common Pleas, 8. Jac. that if Tenant for life grant over his estate without limiting of an use, it shall be to the use of the grantee, more strong here in a tortious act, as our case is, but if Tenant in tail will levy a fine with limitation of uses as above, there the residue of the use shall be to the use of the Conusor. Secondly, admit that the residue of the use in this case shall be to the feoffor, yet he shall not be remitted to the use as it seemeth, the words of the Statute of 27. H. 8. are, that ceterum que use shall have like estate in the land as he had in the use, and therefore it is clear, that the first taker of the use shall not be remitted, as it is resolved in Amy Townsends case in Plowden, and although the words of the Statute mention not heirs or issues, yet by the intent of the Statute they are in equal degree, but the Books which are against this opinion are two, viz. 33. H. 8. Dyer fo. 51. but there it is not expressly said, that the issue is remitted, but 34. H. 8. Br. remitter 49. is expressly against me, but the same year in Dyer fo. 54. it is there made a quere, and in Bevills case it is only said, that the first taker of the use cannot be remitted, but of my opinion was Baldwin and Shelley, in 28. H. 8. Dyer 23, 24. and in Sanages case, and 29. H. 8. it is resolved, that if a man hath land by Act of Parliament, there shall be no remitter, and so here; wherefore &c. and he said, if Tenant in tail be, the remainder in fee, and Tenant in tail makes a feoffment to the use of himself in tail, the remainder to him in remainder in fee, in this case he in the remainder in fee shall not be remitted, for then the first taker should be remitted: to the pleading, it seemeth that the bar is not good; and first, the general demurrer here doth not confess the matter of fact, no more then in Gawins case in 29. H. 8. fo. 40. by Brown, a demurrer upon account in an appeal is no confession of the fact, and in 44. Eliz. in Crisp and Byrons case accordingly: see Sir Henry Browns case before, a good case to this purpose: then as to the Bar, it seems it is not sufficient, for want of a Traverse of a seisin in fee, alleged in the feoffor, who was Edward Stanley, for it is a rule that two affirmatives cannot be allowed in a Declaration, and the Bar without Traverse of that which is mentioned in the Declaration is not good, except there be cause of some impossibilitie, or inconvenience; but yet this is to be understood where the affirmatives are express, and not by implication, as in Moiles case, if the Defendant in his Bar confess

confess a fee determinable, he needs not Traverse the fee alledged by the Plaintiff; but in our case here is an allegation made by the words of a fee, to be in the feoffor, and the Bar confesseth only, as of a fee gained in an instant; but I agree, that if the Bar had been, that the feoffor was Tenant for years, and made a feoffment; this had been good without Traverse, but when Tenant in tail makes a feoffment, it shall not be intended, that he gained a fee, because it may be he hath purchased the remainder, and thereby had lawfully acquitted it, as an addition to his estate: and here the saying in the Declaration, that Edward Stanley was seised in fee as a thing material, and of necessity, and not superfluous, as the pleading in a Declaration for debt upon an Obligation to say, that the Obligor was of full age, or as a Repetition of the writ which needs not be Traversed, and that it appears in 15. Ed. 4. in some case a Surplusage ought to be Traversed, and 7. Ed. 6. Title Formedon, the Declaration as in our case ought to be special, and 21. H. 7. if a man will maintain debt upon a lease, he ought to shew how he was intitled to make the lease: also although that in our case, the lease for years is the effect of the suit, yet I say, that the seisin in fee is the effect of the plea: 27. H. 8. 50. H. 7. 14. in a replevin the Defendant avows as seised in fee, the Plaintiff says, that he was seised for life, and doth Traverse &c. and 14. and 15. Eliz. was our very case, Dyer 312. and there it is said, that the sure way is to take a Traverse, as it is also said in 11. Eliz. Dyer, also where the Bar saith, that one R. was seised in fee, and gave it to the father of the feoffor, and the heirs of his body, he ought to say, that the land descended to the feoffor as son and heir of the body &c. also where the Plaintiff declares of a lease for years made by force of a feoffment, made the 30. day of August 6. Jac. the Bar saith generally, that the 30. day of August 6. Jac. the said feoffor made a feoffment of the same land to the same persons &c. but he doth not say, that it is one and the same with the feoffment mentioned in the Declaration, so he answereth not our title, and for that cause not good, and therefore he prayed Judgement for the Plaintiff. Jones of Lincolns Inne to the contrary, it seemeth as to the first matter moved, that in this case the residue of the use shall result back to the feoffor 34. Eliz. Balfores case, if Tenant in tail make a feoffment to the use of himself for life, without more, by Popham the residue of the use shall be to the feoffee, for otherwise the estate for life would be drowned; but otherwise it is when a remainder of an use is limited to another in fee, for this saves the drowning or confounding of the estate for life: as to the point of remitter, it seemeth that it is no other, but that Tenant in tail makes a feoffment to the use of himself, and his heirs, and dies, if the issue shall be remitted, or not, and as to that he said, that the Statute of 27. H. 8. cap. 10. hath by express words a saving of all ancient rights, and therefore the ancient right of the estate tail is saved, and therefore the issue shall be thereunto remitted, and so should the Tenant in tail himself, if he had not been within the words of the Statute, as it is resolved in Amy Townsends case in Plowden, and the authorities of my part are 33. H. 8. 54. in Dyer expressly with me, and without any quere, as to the point of remitter, but there it is said, that he ought to avoid the lease by entrie, as in our case it is pleaded: and as to the pleading, it seems there needs no Traverse. First, because it is matter in Law. Secondly, we have confessed a fee in an instant: as to the first reason, the Declaration is generally of a seisin in fee, and not expressly of a fee-simple, and therefore it is matter in Law, 5. H. 7. and 21. H. 7. 21. the fee not Traversed: 46. Ed. 3. 24. in Dower the Defendant pleads a special tail, made by one who was seised in fee, the other saith, that the Dower had but an estate tail at the time of the gift, without Traversing that he was seised in fee, 2. Ed. 4. 11. that a seisin in fee tail is sufficient to maintain an allegation of a seisin in fee: to the second reason it is not alledged expressly, that he was seised in fee, but quod cum talis feifitus fuit &c. and 34. H. 6. 48. he needed not in his Declaration to say, that he was seised in fee; Paschi.

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Pasch. 34. et 35. Eliz. Taylors case, if the Plaintiff in a quare impedit alleged seisin in Fee, and the Defendant confesses the seisin by Usurpation, this is a sufficient confession of the seisin in Fee. Fitzherbert Title Travers 154. a good case to this purpose, and in Moils case cited before on the other side, the Plaintiff doth not mention in his Declaration a seisin in Fee absolute, and the Defendant saith, that A. was seised, and gave to the Plaintiff, as long as A. had issue of his body, he needs not Traverse the absolute Fee, Pasch. 33. Eliz. in the Common Pleas, where there was a stronger case; to the replication the Defendant said, that the Countess of Devon. was seised, and leased for life, the remainder to her self for life, the other saith, that the Countess was seised in tail, and Traverseth that she was not seised in Fee, it is there said, that the Countesses estate in Fee need not to be Traversed, and yet it was there agreed, that in regard it was but matter of form, it was aided by the Statute of Jeoffailes, for that was moved in arrest of judgement. Tanfield chief Baron, in the principal case the issue of the Fee for is remitted without entrie notwithstanding the lease, because it is not in possession, but a lease in remainder, and therefore the title of the Lessee is distrained before entrie by the Defendant, and therefore the Defendant hath not answered the entrie upon the Lessees, for you by your plea destroy the title to this Term which you have allowed them, before they were ever in possession thereof, and the Declaration is, that they were possessed of a Term for years, and that you ejected them, and to this you give no answer upon the matter, for clearly if Tenant in tail make a lease to commence at a day to come, and dieth before the day, this is merely void by his death, ad quod non fuit responsum: see Plowden in Smith and Stapletons case, for there it is made a quere; and notwithstanding that, Tanfield chief Baron, with the assent of the whole Court pronounced, that judgement should be entered against the Plaintiff immediately, and so it was done.

Bents case.

In a suit depending in this Court between Bent, and another for a Close, it was ordered, and an Injunction accordingly awarded, that the Defendant should suffer the Plaintiff to enjoy the said Close with the appurtenances until &c. and contrary to this order, the Defendant had put his Cattle into the Close, and thereupon an Attachment issued to answer this contempt, and he said, that he put in his Cattle for a title of Common, and it was ruled, that this was no breach of the Injunction, because the Common was not in question in the Bill, but only the title of the Close, wherefore he was discharged of the contempt, and with the appurtenants doth not include the Common to be taken in the said Close.

Henry Clares case.

Upon a motion made by Serjeant Barker it appeared, that one Henry Clare was indebted to the King, and was seised of a third part of certain lands in Norfolk, and that Mr. Richardson of Lincolns Inne was seised of other two Acres of the same land as Tenant in Common, and the beasts of Mr. Richardson pastured promiscuously upon all the land, and Henry Clare put more Cattle in, and upon process to levy this debt for the King, the Sheriffe took the Cattle of Mr. Richardson, and sold them, and it was now ruled, that in regard, it was lawful for a Tenant in Common to put in his Cattle upon all the land, and that if they depasture all the grasse the other hath no remedy, and for that cause the Sheriffe could not take those Cattle for the debt of another Tenant in Common,

mon, but otherwise it would be if the Cattle had been levant, and Couchant upon the land of the Kings debtoz, and in the principal case the Sheriffe was ordered to restore the monie to Richardson for which they were sold, and that if they were worth more, yet the Sheriffe should not be charged therewith, except it could be made appear some fraud in the sale, or that sufficient suerties were to pay and discharge the dutie, but if my Cattle are levant and Couchant upon the land of the Kings debtoz, the King may distrain them: damage Feasant, but he cannot distrain them for the debt, by Tanfield chief Baron, and Alcham clearly, to which Baron Bromley consented, but Snig said, beware of that.

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Smith and Jennings case.

Upon evidence to a Jury, it was said by Tanfield, that if a man make Charter of Feofment of lands in two Towns, and a Letter of Attorney to make livery, and before livery made by the Attorney, the Feoffor himself maketh livery of the land in one Town, this is a Countermand of the Letter of Attorney, and so livery cannot be made by the Attorney in the other Town; and quere if the Towns were in several Counties. Bacon the Kings Solicitor said, that if a man make a Charter of Feofment of two several Acres, whereof one is in lease for years, and the other in demesne, and the Feoffor makes a Letter of Attorney to make livery, and before that be executed, the Feoffor himself makes livery, now although that one Acre cannot pass by this livery, because it is in lease, yet this is a Countermand, and revocation of the authoritie given by the Letter of Attorney, for his intent is manifest so to be, to which Tanfield, and all the Court agreed. Hobert Attorney general said, that in this case, although that one of the Acres was in lease, yet in regard it appeareth not, that the Lessee was in actual possession, therefore he conceived, that it should be construed, that the Lessee was not in actual possession at the time of the livery made by the Lessor in the name of all, and in respect there was no house upon the Acre in Lease, it may be intended, that the Lessee should be in actual possession, but for that cause he rather conceived, that it should be construed, that the Lessee was not in possession, and so the livery might well operate to pass it. Tanfield, and all the Court denied, that the livery was good to pass it, although that the Lessor was in actual possession; but where Dr. Attorney alledged further, that before the livery made an Infant had a Term for years in this Acre in lease, and that the Feoffor at the time of the livery, was guardian to the Infant, and thereby had a possession therein, and therefore the livery made in the other Acre in the name of all, should be good to pass all, to which the Court agreed, and thereupon directed the Jury to finde the livery, and scisin to be made of all: and in this case the Court inclined, that because this feofment was made, but ten dayes before, that the Feoffor committed Treason, and in asmuch as it was made to the use of the son being an Infant, and not upon consideration of marriage, that therefore the Feofment should be fraudulent, and void as to the King, but the Attorney general said, that this Feofment was made in performance of a precedent agreement, viz. it was agreed that the Feoffor should make such a conveyance to an use &c. and that the wife of the Feoffor also being an Infant, should make such a conveyance of her land which was done accordingly, and upon proove of this agreement, the Court inclined that it was no fraud, and in this case it was ruled by the Court, if parties have matter of evidence by the Records of this Court, they ought to produce the Records themselves, for Copies of them are not allowable.

It was said by Alcham, and agreed by the Court, that if an Information be exhibited for intruding into a Close the 24th. day of March, and for the aspor-
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tation of 9. Cart Loads of Wheat betwixt the 24th. of March, and the first of October, the which the Defendant converted &c. and upon not guiltie pleaded the Jury found, that the Defendant took three Cart Loads of the said Corn upon the 24th. day of March, and after before the first of October they took also three Cart Loads more, and damages were assessed for all, that here no judgement shall be given upon this verdict, for the Information doth not charge the Defendant with the taking of any part upon the 24th. day of &c. and then in regard that damages are in re, judgement can be given for no part of it: see Cook lib. 5. Plaisters case: but this case being moved at another day; Tanfield said, that he having inspected the Record, he found the verdict insufficient for another cause, because the Jury found, that as to one Cart Load of Wheat to the value of 20. l. the Defendant was guiltie, and doth not mention to what damage, viz. to the damage of 100. s. or otherwise, and by him ad valentiam is not sufficient, without shewing also to what damage; and for that cause, by him a venire facias de novo, ought to be awarded, and so it was done by the Court.

Edwards case.

EDwards case was, that an erroneous judgement was given in a Coppyhold Court, where the King was Lord, and this was in a Formedon in remainder, and it was moved now by Serjeant Harris, if the partie against whom it was given may sue in the Exchequer Chamber by Bill, or petition to the King, in the nature of a writ of false judgement, for the Reversal of that judgement. Tanfield seemed, that it is proper so to do, for by 13. Rich. 2. if a false judgement be given in a base Court, the partie grieved, ought first to sue to the Lord of the Mannor by petition, to reverse this judgement, and here the King being Lord of the Mannor, it is very proper to sue here in the Exchequer Chamber by petition, for in regard that it concerneth the Kings Mannor, the suit ought not to be in the Chancery, as in case a Common person were Lord, and for that very cause it was dismissed out of the Chancery, as Serjeant Harris said: and Tanfield said, that he was of Council in Petrishals case in the time of the Lord Bromley, where it was debated at large, if such a judgement ought to be reversed by petition in the Chancery, in case where a Common person was Lord, and at last it was decreed, that it should be, as in that case of Patrhal, and for the same reason here the King being Lord; and therefore day was given till the next Term to shew their errors; and Serjeant Harris said, that the errors are in effect no others then were in the case 9. Eliz. Dyer fo. 262, and in Godmanchesters case, and it was adjourned.

Scot and his wife against Hilliar.

SCOT and his wife Plaintiffs, against Hilliar for these words spoken of the wife, viz. she would have cut her husbands throat, and did attempt to do it. Hurton Serjeant, in arrest of judgement said, that these words are not actionable, for the will or attempt is not punishable by our Lawe, and he vouched Cocksains case Cook lib. 4. cited in Eaten and Allens case, but by the Court an Action lies, for the attempt is a cause for which the husband may be divorced, if it were true, and it is a very great slander, and Baron Snig said, that in the same Term a judgement was given in the Kings Bench, and was affirmed in the Exchequer Chamber upon a writ of error for these words. He lay in the high way to rob me, and therefore let judgement be entered for the Plaintiffe, but it was adjudged in the principal case, that for the words she would have cut her husbands throat no Action would lie.

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A Coppingholder surrenders into the hands of the Customary Tenants, to the use of Anne his Wife, and after before any Court the said Coppingholder surrenders the Land into the hands of other Customary Tenants, to the use of the said Anne for her life, the remainder to Percie in fee, upon condition that he in remainder, & his Heirs should pay 20. s. per annum at Michaelmas for ever, the first payment to commence immediately after the death of the said Anne, viz. at the next feast of St. Michael, and this to be paid in the Church Porch of D. to the Church Wardens of D. in the presence of four discreet Parishioners, or otherwise that a stranger should re-enter, and at the next Court both these surrenders were present, and the Steward admitted the said A. according to the second surrender, and she dyed, and now upon pretence, that the rent of 20. s. was not paid by the Heirs of him in remainder, the Heir of Gooch who made the surrender had entred, and thereupon an Action was brought, and upon the evidence the Jury to the County of Bedford now at the Bar: These matters were moved by Serjeant Nichols: That a surrender into the hands of Customary Tenants cannot be countermanded, and therefore the second surrender void, and the admittance shall work to such uses as the first surrender was made, as in Anne Westwicks Case, Cook Lib. 4. And to prove that a surrender into the hands of Customary Tenants is not countermandable, he said, that it is not countermandable by death, nor surrender, Cooke lib. 4. in his Coppinghold Cases. That a presentment in the Court may be after the death of the surrenderer, and the admittance thereupon is good, and he compared it to the Case of the delivery of a Deed, as an Escroll which may be delivered as his Deed after the death of the Maker, as it is in Jennings and Braggs case Cook lib. 3. which was not denied by the Court. Serjeant Dodderidge said, that when a surrender is made upon condition that he shall pay a summe of money to a stranger, these words make an estate conditionall, and give power implicitly to the Heirs of the party who did surrender, to re-enter for non-payment, and the words which give power to a stranger to re-enter, are merely void: nevertheless the precedent words shall stand, and make the estate conditionall, Tanfield, Littleton saies that such a re-entry is void, for a re-entry cannot be limited to a stranger: Nichols Serjeant said, that if a surrender be made, that he shall pay so much money, that this makes the estate conditionall, and gives a re-entry to the Heirs of him who did surrender. But when it goes further, and doth not leave the condition to be carried by the Law, in such case all the words should be void, because it cannot be according to the intent, as in the case of a reservation of rent, the Law will carry it to the Reversion, but if it be particularly reserved, then it will go according to the reservation, or otherwise will be void, and so here Tanfield: Admit that here was a conditionall estate by vertue of the Surrender last made, and this condition is also to be performed to a stranger, which generally ought to be taken strictly, yet, as it is here, he who will take advantage thereof, ought to prove a voluntary neglect in the party, in the not performance of the Condition, and inasmuch as there is no certain time appointed, when the payment of this Annually rent should be made, but generally at Michaelmas, next after the death of the said Anne, thereby in this case the Church-wardens ought to notify the death of the said Anne, before the first day of payment, by reasonable space, or otherwise the condition is not broken, and also it is appointed here to be paid in the presence of four discreet Parishioners, by the party who should perform the condition, yet by intendment he hath no notice, who are discreet, or who are not,

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not, especially he being an Infant, as in our case he is, and therefore although the condition is to be performed to a stranger, which generally ought to be performed strictly, according to 12. E. 3. Yet this is to be intended only in such cases where the party had certain notice of all circumstances requisite for payment thereof, and therefore he directed the Jury, that for want of knowledge of such circumstances, they should give a Verdict that the condition was not broken; And Dodderidge Serjeant moved that this matter might be specially found. Tanfield said, the Jury knows our opinion, and therefore leave it to them, and the Verdict was given that the condition was not broken: See Term Pasch. that proofes by deposition taken here in a former suite, shall be allowed in this, notwithstanding all the parties be alive; and it was adjourned. Note, that in Staffords case in the Court of Wards this Term, Flemming and Cook were of opinion with Tanfield here, viz. That notice ought to be given to the Infant in the Case above-said.

I. S. was Parson of D. as appropriate, and A. is Vicar, and the King is Patron of the said Vicaridge, and debate was between the Parson and the Vicar, this suite ought to be in the Exchequer for these Tithes, and by the Court it may be commenced accordingly by English Bill in the Exchequer, or by Action in the Office of Pleas, for it is apparant that the King is Supreme Ordinary, this was Pasch. 9. Jacobi.

Sir Stephen Leazures case.

In Sir Stephen Leazures case upon a charge upon Sir Thomas Gresham deceased, process issued to the Sheriffs of London to inquire what Lands the said Sir Thomas had in London at the time of the debt accrued, and to whose hands, &c. And the Inquisition found, that the said Sir Thomas was seised of divers Messuages in London in four severall Parishes, viz. in, &c. And now the Mayor and Commonalties of London came as Tenants of the premises, and demanded Oyer of the Inquisition, and then demurred thereupon, and by the Court the Inquisition is insufficient, for the words of divers, &c. are so generall, that no exception thereupon may be made, nor the party can give no answer thereunto, so of an Office found in the Court of Wards, as it hath been divers times here used, see Carters case Pasch 8. Jac. in the Court of Wards.

Kitchin against Calvert.

See the Case before, fo. — many Arguments therein at the Bar, by Bridge-man, Ireland, Serjeant Hutton, and the Attorney Generall in Michaelmas, and Hilary, — Jac. — And now the Barons argued, and first, Bromley Justice Baron argued, for the first matter which is when a Church being void, the Patron contracts with Parkinson for money to be given to present Kitchin, the money to be given by Parkinson, and Kitchin not knowing of this Symonie, is presented, instituted, and inducted thereunto, whether this be void or not. The 2d. Matter is, admitting that this is void, & that the Queen presented Co-vell who died before Institution or admission, if this presentation be good to Calvert, without a Repeal of the Presentation made by the Queen, and it seems to be in both points for the Plaintiff. To the first point he said, That the intent of the Statute was to eradicate all manner of Symonies, and therefore the words are not, if any man give money to be presented, but they are if any present for money,

money, and the Jurors here found 20. l. to be given, and nothing for what it was given, or to whom it was given, for if money be the meede, a Presentation is void, and therefore if I. S. be Patron of the Church of D. which is void, and a stranger saith to me, procure the Presentation for A. and you shall have 100. l. and he procured A. to be presented: here if the Patron had notice of the money given to me, this Presentation is void, but otherwise not, and in our case without notice of the Parson the Admissor, and all which ensued thereupon is void, by reason of the Symonie in the Patron, and it is void as to the Parson also, and if in this Case we are not within the words of the Statute, yet we are within the intent clearly, as upon 1. Ed. 6. of Chantries, an estate made for years, or for life to Superstitious uses shall be within the intent, although not within the words of that Statute, as it appears in Adams and Lamberts case Cooke lib. 4. So the Statute of 11. H. 7. should be construed to meet with Cases of like mischief, as it appears in Sir George Browns case, Cooke Lib. 3. and Panormitane saith that *Simonia est Studiosa voluntas emendi, vel vendendi aliquid Spirituale, vel Spirituali annexum cum opere subsequente*. To the second Point, it seems that the Presentation made by the King to Calvert is good without aid of the Statute of 6. H. 8. cap. 15. for Covell who were the Presentee of the Queen had no interest, no estate, and yet if he had, it would be void by the death of the Queen, for the presentation is but a commendation, and therefore if the Patron present his Ullaine, this maketh no infranchisement, and so if Lessee for years of a Patronage be presented, this doth not extinguish his Term. And whereas it hath been said, that the Kings Grant cannot be construed to two intents, true it is if it be to the Kings prejudice, but otherwise it is, if it be for his benefit, as plainly appears in Englefieldss case Cook lib. 7. See 17. Ed. 3. fo. 29. Also it is without question, that the King may actually revoke his Presentation as it appears by 28. Ed. 3. 47. And this implied Revocation is as good being for the Kings benefit, as an actual or expresse Revocation: Dyer 18. Eliz. 348. And it was adjudged in Pasch. 3. Jac. in the Common Pleas, Rot 1722. one Williams case, that an Actuell Revocation or Repeale is not necessary; And so it was adjudged, Trin. 8. Jac. Rot. 1811. in the Bishop of Chichesters case, and therefore the King may make a Presentation to a Church which belongs to him by reason of Wardship under the Seale of the Court of Wards, because the presentation is only a Commendation as it was there said, and so it was agreed also, Trin. 8. Jac. at Serjeants Inne by Flemming, Cook, and Tanfield in the Lord Windfors case, referred unto them out of the Court of Wards, and there it was said by Cook, that the King may present by Parol, as it appears by 17. Eliz. Dyer, and that a Second Administration may be well granted without Repeat of the first, and also it seems, that the Statute of 6. H. 8. cap. 15. doth not extend to a Chaplain, for he is not a Servant within that Statute, nor a Presentation is not a thing within that Statute, and moreover in this Case, Covell who was the Queens Presentee is not in life, and therefore this Case clearly is out of the Clause of the Statute of 6 H. 8. and so he concluded on the whole matter, that Judgement ought to be given for the Plaintiff. Altham the second Baron accordingly; The Presentation made to Kitchin is void, and the Admission, and all subsequent thereupon is void also, for the words of the Statute are, that if a Presentation be made for menie, it shall be void, and that the King may present that Turne, and therefore the want of priority in the Incumbent is nothing to the purpose, as to the avoiding of the Benefice, but his want of priority abaseth to excuse him of being Simoniacus: yet because he is Simoniac Promotus the presentation is void, and the King shall have it by the expresse words of the Statute, and therefore as it seems if in this Statute there had been an expresse saving of the interest of the Incumbent, by reason of his innocency, yet such a saving of Interest had been void, and repugnant, in respect that it was expresse given to the King before, as it is in Nichols case in Plowden upon the Stat. of 1. H. 7. See 1. Mar. Dyer, and 7. Eliz. Dyer 231. such a saving doubted

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if it be void, and in Cook lib. 1. Altonwoods case, a saving Repugnant to the expresse words of the Premises is void, and so in our Case the Presentation is given to the King expressely, and therefore if there were a saving in the words subsequent, this were void, much more in our Case where there is no saving: And to prove that by the Symonie in the Patron, that the Patron shall be prejudiced, he vouched 42. E. 3. fo. 2. It goods be given to B. by A. this is by fraud in A. to the intent that he may defraud another, although B. is not knowing of this fraud, yet the gift is void as to him 34. E. 1. Title Garranty accordingly, and Burrells case Cook lib. 6. upon the Statute of 27 Eliz. cap. 4. to the same purpose. To the second matter, it seems that by the Queens death, her Presentation is determined clerely, and so in case of a common person, for if an Admission, &c. should follow after the death of the Presenter, this is without any Authority of the instrument of Presentation, for although there were no Admission, there is no Presentation, and he said that the Presentation passeth no interest, but is as a Commendation, and therefore he compared it to the Case of Say and Fuller in Plowden Com. If a Lease be made for so many years as a Stranger shall name, there ought to be certainty of years appointed in the life of the parties, or otherwise it will be void, and in 38. E. 3. 3. If a Bishop present and die before, &c. Now the King shall present anew, and also there it appears that the King may present by Paroll well enough, and so it is said in 34. E. 3. 8. tit. Quare impedit 11. That a Presentation made by the Bishop becometh null, and void by his death, and therefore it appeareth in Fitzh. Office of Court 29. that licence to alien granted to the King is void by the Kings death, & there needeth no actual Repeal or recital of the new presentation, & yet I agree that the King may make an actual repeal if he will, as it appears by divers cases which have been cited before, but that is of necessity to be done, and as it seems the words of the Statute 6. H. 8. prove that before this Statute a second Grant made, the first void without actual repeal, in case where the thing passed by the Grant, and by 38. E. 3. fo. 3. 4. it appears that a second Presentation made by the King, was good without a repeal of the first, and by Gascoigne 7. H. 4. 32. if the King make a Presentation to one, and then presents another, without recital or repeal of the first, yet the Bishop ought to receive the latter Presentee, for it is good without actual repeal, wherefore judgement ought to be given for the Plaintiff. Snig Baron said, that as the Action is brought, judgement ought to be given for the Plaintiff, but if the Plaintiff had brought a Quare impedit, peradventure I should have been of another opinion; And as to the point of Symonie by the Civil Law, it was punishable by deprivation, and the guilt of the Patron should prejudice the Parson, as to matter of Commodity in the Parsonage, and at the Common Law, if the Parson will pleade such Presentation, he should be prejudiced, as appears by our Books, and hereby the incumbency the words of the Statute will not be satisfied, for then the Queen should not Present, if an usurper present, and the Presentee is in by six moneths, this gives Title of Presentation to the King against the rightfull Patron, also it seemeth, That if I. S. hath an Abbotson, and A. purchase the next avoidance to the intent to present B. and the Church becomes void, and A. presents B. this is Symonie by averment, as by good pleading the Presentation of B. shall be adjudged void. To the second Point, in respect that the Plaintiff had the possession by induction, it is no question but he may retaine a possessorie Action for the Titles, But if it were in a Quare impedit, it would be materiall whether a Repeal should be in the case or not, according to the Presidents in the Booke of Entries, fo. 303, 304, 305. for if a Licence be Granted to purchase in Portmaine, this may well be executed after the death of the Queens, as it appeareth by Fitzherberts natura brevium expressely, and so in Dyer, a license of Transportation doth not cease by the Kings death 7. H. 4. in the Countess of Kents case, it appears, when the King makes a grant which is void, yet there shall be no new grant without an actual

actual repeal, but it seems we are out of the intent of the Statute of 6. H. 8. because the words during his pleasure are not in the grant or Patent, and so upon the whole matter judgement shall be given for the Plaintiffe. Tanfield accordingly, the case is, that the Defendant had priority of the possession of the Coyn for which the action is brought, and yet it seems judgement ought to be given for the Plaintiffe: and first, as this case is, here is Simonie by the Civil Law, and the partie had his benefice by Simonie, although he be not consulant thereof. Secondly, admit that here was not Simonie by the intendment of the Civil Law, yet the Statute hath made an avoidance of the benefice in this case, although it be not Simonie, for the Statute speaks not one word of Simonie throughout the Act, and yet by expresse words it doth avoid such presentations as this is, and as to the Civil Law, such benefice is to be made void by sentence declaratorie, but it is not void ipso facto, as it seems in the case where a common person was consenting to the Simonie, but the text of the Civil Law says expressly, that the Church ought not to be filled Corruptive, or by corruption, and the Civil Law expresseth such a person as is in our case, by Simoniaci promotus, and calls him who is pariceps criminis Simoniacus, and he who is Simoniacus, is by the Civil Law deprived not only of the benefice ipso facto, but also is deprived to be a Minister, and adjudged guiltie in Culpa et poena. Petrus Benefieldus a late writer of good authoritie saith, that if a friend give money to a parson, to make a promise to him &c. and the incumbent payes it, such an incumbent is Simoniacus by the Civil Law, and so if the incumbent pay the money not knowing it untill after the induction, yet he is Simoniacus, and by him if a friend gives money, and the Parson is thereupon presented, though the Parson if he knew not of the money given, yet he shall be deprived of the benefice, and this difference was certified by Anderson, and Gawdey, to the Council table upon a reference made to them by the King, touching the filling of benefices by corrupt means, and the Statute of purpose forbears to use the word Simonie, for avoiding of nice construction of that word in the Civil Law, and therefore the makers of the Act sets down plainly the words of the Statute, that if any shall be promoted for money &c. so that by these words it is not material from whom the money comes, and then in such cases for the avoiding of all such grand offences, a liberal construction ought to be made, as hath been used in such cases, and therefore he remembered the large construction which was made upon the Statute of fines, in the Lord Zouches case lib. Cook 3. and so upon the Statute of usury, it hath been adjudged, that if money be lent to be re-paid with use above 10. l. in the hundred at such a day, if three men or one man so long live, in these cases all such bargains and contracts are void within the intent of the Statute, as it hath been adjudged in the Common Pleas, and so it is in Gooches case Cook lib. 5. upon the Statute of fraudulent conveyances, and secret Topitures; also upon the Statute of Simonie it was adjudged, although some of the Common Pleas doubted of it, in regard a father is bound to provide for his son; and Rogers and Bakers case in this Court was an antient case, and adjudged for the Plaintiffe: and as to the other point, it is found by the verdict, that the presentation made by the Queen to Covell is not revoked, nor admitted, which words implie that Covell is still living in case of a special verdict, and therefore to argue to that point, as if it were found that Covell was living, yet he conceived, that the presentation without induction and Injunction is determined by the Queens death, and therefore in 2. Ed. 3. a license of Alienation clearly is not good in the time of another King, for the license saith which are holden of us &c. and by the death of the King they are not holden of him. Fitzherberts natura brevium contra 16 H. 8. the nature of a presentment is explained, where an Infant would avoid his presentation, and in the principal case the Bishop cannot make any admission upon this presentation of Covell after the Queens death, for he cannot do that in any manner according to the presentation, because that is determined by the Queens death, and there-

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for it seems clearly there needs no repeal in such a case, although it appears by some precedents, that repeals have been used in such cases, and as to the case 17. Eliz. Dyer 339. that proverb not that there ought to be any repeal, for it appears there, that judgement was given upon a reason altogether different from our case, and that was, because a presentation was obtained of the Queen, a quare impedit depending by her, of which suit she had no notice, and for that cause her second presentation was void, and that was the true reason of that judgement, as it is also put in Greens case Cook lib. 6. and I was present Mich. 17. Eliz. when this case was adjudged, and the sole reason which they gave for the judgement was, because the presentation by interment could not take away the Action attached by the Queen, for then the Queens grant should enure to a double intent, which the Law will never collerate without express words purporting so much, but in our case there is no such double interment, and therefore &c. but if there had been an admission, and institution pursuing the presentation of Covel, although no induction, yet peradventure in such case, there ought to have been an appeal, because in such case it is not only the Queens Act, but of the ordinary also, interposing, which is a Judicial Act, also without question, we are out of the Statute of 6. H. 8. for here is no grant made by the Queen, and a presentation clearly is not within that Statute, and for that other reason the presentation of Calvert is good, without recital of the Queens presentation: also clearly if there ought to be a repeal in the case, yet it is not examinable in this Action of Trespass which is possessorie, and for the profits only, but it may be examinable in a quare impedit, and as to Greens case Cook lib. 6. which hath been used as an authority in this case, that differs much from our case, for there the thing which made the Queens presentation void, was contained within the very Charter of the presentation, and therefore differed from our case, wherefore he commanded judgement should be entered for the Plaintiff, and so it was.

Halseys case touching Recufancy.

The case in the Exchequer Chamber touching the payment of the Kings Majesties debt due for the Recufancy of John Halsey, as Recufant convict decreased, with the lands and goods bought in the name of John Grove, and Richard Cox Defendant in this Court, that John Halsey was indicted and convicted for Recufancy the 18. day of July Anno 23. Eliz. and so remained convicted without submission till his death, who died the last day of March 3. Jac. and after his conviction, viz. after the 40. year of the Reign of the late Queen Elizabeth did purchase with his own money divers leases for years, yet to come of lands in the Countie of Worcester, and Warwick, in the name of Richard Cocks for himself in trust, and likewise did with his own money purchase certain leases for years, yet to come of lands in the Countie of Hereford, in the name of the said John Grove, all which purchases were in trust for the Recufant, and to his use; Margaret Field is his next heir, who is no Recufant, John Halsey hath not paid 20. l. a moneth since his conviction, nor any part thereof, these lands and leases were seized into the Kings hands, for the satisfaction of the forfeitures due for the Recufancy of the said Halsey 14. August 5. Jac. Thomas Coventrie argued for the Defendant; the question is, whether these lands which were never in the Recufant, but bought in the name of the Defendants in manner aforesaid, be liable to the payment of his Majesties debts by the said Recufant as above said, or not: there are three points considerable in the case. First, if lands purchased by the Recufant, in the name of others in trust are liable to his debt. Secondly, if the land of a Recufant may be seized after his death. Thirdly, if they shall be charged by the Statute of 1. Jac. as to the first, it seems they are not, wherein I shall endeavour to prove three things. First, that such land was not liable to debt by the

the Common Law. Secondly, that they are not liable to debts by the general words of the Statute Law. Thirdly, that they are not liable to debt by any word within the Statute of primo Jac. as to the first he observed, that there is no fraud put in the case, but that these lands and leases were never in the Recusant, so that before that they were conveyed to the Defendants, they were not liable to this debt; and I alwayes observed, that which the common law calleth fraud, ought to be of such nature as shall be tortious, and prejudicial to a third person, and put him in a worse estate and condition then he was before, and then he who is so prejudiced in some cases should avoid such conveyances by the common Law: 22. Assises 72. 43. Ed. 3. 2. and 31. — the Defendant in debt after judgement aliens his goods, and he himself takes the profits, yet the Plaintiff shall have them in execution; so that if a man binde himself, and his heirs in an Obligation, and dies, and assets descend to his heir, who by Covin aliens those assets, yet he shall be charged in debt; for in these cases the Plaintiff had a lawful debt, and such lands and goods before the alienation were liable, and that former interest was intended to be defeated by those alienations, and therefore they are void: but of the other side, where no former interest of the party is wronged, there no fraudulent conveyance was void at the Common Law; and therefore if Tenant in Knights service had made a fraudulent Feoffment to defraud the Lord of his wardship, this was not aided by the Common Law until the Statute of Marlebridge; for the title of the Lord was not prejudiced or wronged by this Feoffment, because it was subsequent to the Feoffment, also after the said Statute the Lord was without remedy for his release, for it is agreed in 17. Ed. 3. fo. 54. and 31. Ed. 3. Collation 29. and therefore at the Common Law, if cestuy que use, had bound himself and his heirs in an Obligation, and died, if the use descended to his heir, none will say, this use was assets to the heir, and so was Rigler and Hunters case 25. Eliz. as to the second point it seems, that the general words of a Statute shall be expounded according to the rule and reason of the Common Law, and by the Common Law such confidence is not extendible, therefore 4c. Westmin. 2. cap. 18. which gives the elegit, hath these words medietatem terra, and within those words an use was never extendible by that Statute 30. Ed. 3. because it was not an estate in him, and so if a man be indebted for Merchandise or money borrowed, and makes a gift of his lands and Chattels to defraud Creditors, and takes the profits himself, and fleeth to the Sanctuary at Westminster, or Saint Martins, and there abideth by conclusion to avoid the payment of his debts, it is thereby enacted, that Proclamation shall be made at the Gate of the Sanctuary, where such person resideth by the Sheriffe, and if such person doth not thereupon appear in person, or by Attorneys, judgement shall be given against him, and execution awarded, aswel of those lands and goods given by fraud, as of any other out of the same Franchise, these words are more particular then the Statute of Westminster the second, and yet it was doubted, if it did extend to executions for debt, as it appears by 7. H. 7. and 11. H. 7. 27. and therefore in 19. H. 7. cap. 15. an Act of Parliament was made, that execution for debts, Recognizances, and Statutes, should be sued of lands in use. As to the third it seems that, that Statute doth not make lands in use liable to debts, the words of the Statute are, that the King shall seize two parts of the lands, Tenements, and Hereditaments, leases of Farms of such offenders, so that they are as general as the words of the Statute of Westminster 2. cap. 18. and here those lands and leases were not the Recusants, for he had but a confidence in them: the first clause of the Statute doth not extend thereunto for two causes. First, in regard that it never was in the Recusant, and this clause extends, only to such conveyances which are made by any man, which hath not repaired or shall not repair to some Church; for the disjunctive words do not extend throughout that branch, but to the last part thereof, viz. that which cometh after the word (and) for otherwise this would extend to conveyances made at any time without limitation, which should be against the

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meaning of the Act. Secondly, this Branch provides what shall be done concerning the King touching the levying, and paying of such summes of money, as any person by the Lawes of the Realm ought to pay, or else to forfeit &c. and by the Statutes before made nothing was forfeited, but for such time as is mentioned in the Indictment, which in our case is but 6. months, but out of this branch a strong argument may be made, in respect that the Statute avoids all conveyances made by Recufants, in trust by expresse words, but saith nothing to conveyances made by others to the use of Recufants, and therefore this Statute doth not extend unto it; If Tenant by Knights service incoseth his heir within age, and dies, the Lord may enter upon the heir without suing an action, but if a Feoffee be made to a stranger, there he cannot enter, but ought to bring his Action according to the provision of that Statute, because it may be to the use of the Feoffee, but no such provision is made for the heir, the Statute of 3. Jac. cap. 4. provides by expresse words, that the King shall seise two parts of all the lands, Tenements, and Hereditaments, Leases, and Fairs, that at the time of such seisure shall be, or afterwards shall come to any of the hands of the said offendours, or any other to their use, or in trust for him, or her, or at his, or her dispose, or disposition, or whereby, wherewith, or in consideration whereof such offendours, or their families, or any of them shall or may be relieved, maintained, or kept &c. the different penning of these Statutes proves the diversitie of the meaning thereof, this Statute is a new Law which gives to the King this penaltie which he had not before, and in new manner, for it appoints, that the partie shall be convicted by Proclamation, and that being so convicted, he shall alwayes pay the said penaltie, until his submission without any other conviction 3. Jac. cap. 4. and also limits a manner how this new penaltie shall be levied, viz. by seisure of two parts of the land &c. then when a Statute gives a new thing, which was not at the Common Law, and limits a course and means whereby it shall be levied, that course ought to be pursued, and it cannot be done in any other manner, the Statute of 8. H. 6. cap. 12. makes the imbellling of a Record felony, and that this shall be inquired by Jury, whereof one halfe shall be Clerks of some of the same Courts, and that the Judges of the one Bench, or of the other shall hear and determine it, and the case was, that part of the offence was done in Middlesex, and part in London, so that the offence could not have such proceeding as the Statute appointed, and therefore it was holden, that it should not be punished at all. Mich. 41. et 42. Eliz. Betwixt Aggard and Standish: The Statute of 8. Ed. 4. cap. 2. inflicts a penaltie upon him, that makes a retainer by parol, and moreover it is thereby ordained, that before the King in his Bench, before the Justices of the Common Pleas, Justices of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, every man that will, may complain against such person or persons, doing against the form of this ordinance, shall be admitted to give information for the King, and it was holden, that the informer could not sue for himself, and the Queen upon this Statute, for an offence done in any Court not mentioned in that Statute: the Statute of 35. Eliz. cap. 1. appoints, that for the better and speedier levying and Recovering, for and by the Queens Majestie, of all and singular, the pains, duties, forfeitures, and payments, which at any time hereafter shall grow due, or be payable by vertue of this Act, and of the Act made in the 23d. year of her Majesties Reigne concerning Recufants, that all and every the said pains, duties, &c. may be recovered to her use, by Action of debt, Bill, plaint, or information, or otherwise in any of her Courts or her Bench, Common Pleas, or Exchequer, in such sort in all respects, as by the ordinary course of the Common Lawes of this Realm, any other debt due by any such person, in any other case should or may be recovered, wherein no essoin: &c. Note that this Statute extends not to any penaltie upon the Statute of 28. Eliz. cap. 6. also the Common Law doth not give any means to levie a debt upon a trust: and as to the general point, it seems that no land can be seised after the death of the Recufant, 23.

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Eliz. cap. 1. enacteth that every person of the age of 16. years, which shall not repaire to some Church, &c. but forbeare the same contrary to the Tenor of the Statute made in the first year of her reign for uniformity of common prayer, and bring thereof lawfully convicted, shall forfeit to the Queen for every moneth which he or she shall so forbeare 20. l. And that Statute doth give no forfeiture at all for Lands: And also it giveth no penaltie without conviction, so that the death of the party before conviction dischargeth all, and so without question it was at that day. This last Point seems to be remedied in part by the Statute of 28. Eliz. cap. 6. for thereby if the party be once convicted, he shall alwaies pay after without other conviction, and this Statute gives also a Seisure, but before any seisure. Three things ought to concur, 1. Recufancy. 2. Conviction. 3. Default of payment. And the last of these was the true cause of the seisure, viz. That is, the contempt of not payment. Therefore it was adjudged in Sir William Greenes case: that this seisure shall not go in satisfaction of such debt, but the King shall hold it as a penalty for the contempt untill the debt be paid, so that when a Statute imposeth a penaltie for a contempt, as the contempt is personall, so is the penalty; And therefore the death of the party before that it be executed or turned in rem judicatum, dischargeth all: and I shall prove it by the different plea in an Action upon a penall Statute, and other common Actions, and therefore in debt, not guilty is no plea, but in debt upon a penall Law it is a good Plea, for in truth untill it be adjudged, it is no debt, but a contempt, Michaelmas 41, 42. Eliz. betwixt Car and Jones, and in debt upon the Statute of 2. Ed. 6. nec guilty was adjudged a good plea, Trin. 42. Eli. between Merley & Edwards. 2. It may be proved by 3 different forms of judgment, for in common actions, 3 judgment is Quod querens recuperet, &c. But in informations the usuall form is, Quod defendens forisfaciet, 41. Ass. which implies that it is not perfect untill the Judgement, and before it is only a contempt, and if so, then by the death of the party it is discharged. Thirdly, I shall prove it by Authority, that the death of the parties before Judgement dischargeth aswell the contempt, as the penaltie of a penall Law, 46. Ed. 3. Executor 74. debt lies not against the Executors of a Trespas, who suffers Prisoners to escape, 15. Eliz. Dyer 322. in the like Case the opinion of the Court was, that an Action did not lye against the Executors of the Warden of the Fleet, but there ought to have been a Judgement against him in his life time, for the Offence is but a Trespass by negligence which dies with the Person, 18. Eliz. Dyer. An Action brought against the Heire, and ruled that it doth not lie, for it is a Maxime that no Law or Statute chargeth the Heire for the wrong or trespass of his Father: Also it is to be observed in the Principall Case, that the Statute limits the seisure to be by Procees out of the Exchequer, so no seisure can be without Procees, as it may be upon some other Statute; But a judiciall course is hereby prescribed whereupon the Partie may plead with the King for his Land, and therefore if that course be not pursued in the life of the party, it is too late to pursue it after his death: Also the words are, that he shall seise all the goods, and two parts of the Lands of such Offenders. But after his death the goods are not his, but his Executors; and the Lands are not his, but his Heirs, and a seisure by way of penalty reacheth no higher then to the time of the seisure: also the words of the subsequent Proviso explaine it further, for if it be demanded when the King shall seise two parts, it is answered at the same time when he leaveth the third part, and when must he leave the third part, it is answered, in the life of the Recufant, That it may be for the maintenance of his Wife, Children, and Family, and after his death he hath neither Wife, Children, nor Family, for in a Wife of Dowry, the Demandant shall say that she was Wife, and not that she is Wife: As to the last matter it seems that the Statute of 1. Jac. cap. 4. hath discharged this Land, admitting that it was not discharged before, wherein the words are, and if any Recufant shall hereafter die, his Heire being no Recufant: That in every such Case, every such Heire

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shall be freed and discharged of all and singular the penalties, charges, and incumbrances happening upon him, or her in respect, or by reason of his or her Ancestors recusancy; and as to Walter de Chirtons Case, who being an Accomptant to the King, purchased Lands of A. with the Kings money by Cobin, and took the profits, nevertheless upon Inquisition it was adjudged, that they should be seized into the Kings hands for his debt: I agree that to be good Law, because A. when he received the said money of Walter de Chirton, that being the Kings monie, A. immediately thereby became a Debtor, and an Accomptant to the King, and then into whose hands soever these Lands do after come, they are still chargable for that money, and therefore, &c.

Sawyer against East.

An Ejectione firme was brought by Sawyer against East, for certain Mills in East-Smithfield in the County of Middlesex, the Case upon a speciall Verdict, was this. Queen Eliz. 28. of her reign demised two Mills, one Messuage, and one Curtilage to Potter for 40. years, Potter makes Mary his Wife Executrix, and dies, Mary marries one Burchill, who in 33. Eliz. did demise one Messuage, and one Curtilage to Wilkenfon for 20. years, and dies, and Mary intermarries one Hitchmore who by deed inrolled in Chancery 20. Marcii 44. Eliz. reciting the original Lease, and that he had the whole Right, State, and Interest and term of years which Potter had, and that he surrendered the estate, and term of years aforesaid to the Queen, reciting the matter mentioned in the surrender, and that the Interest and Term which Potter had is come to Hitchmore, and that Hitchmore had surrendered the whole right, as well for 30. l. as for that that Hitchmore did assume at his proper charges to repair, and new build the said Mills being in great decay, and to give security for the same, did demise the Mills, Messuage, and Curtilage for 40. years to the said Hitchmore rendering rent, with a Covenant to be void for not payment, &c. and after the King demised the premises to Ferrers, and Philips two contractors, who enter and demise to Sawyer, who was possessed, untill ejected by East, who claimed under the lease to Hitchmore, and the Jury found that in the Letters, Patents to Hitchmore, were contained ordinary Covenants to repair the Mills, and to leave them in good repair, and the Jury also found that Hitchmore had not given any security for the building, and repairing of the Mills, and that the Mills were not new built, nor repaired, and that Hitchmore had pulled down one of the Mills, and that the Term of twenty years is yet in being, and if upon the whole matter, &c. Bromley the Justice Baron saies, that it seemed to him that judgement ought to be given for the Plaintiff; First, the suggestion or surmise in the Patent being false, in matter of value, and in such a thing, which is proper for the information of the Lessee, causeth the Lease to be void, as in 18. Eliz. Dyer 352. An Abbot makes a Lease for 60. years, the Lessee demiseth to I. S. for 80. years, the reversion comes to the Queen, the 60. years expire, the second Lessee surrenders to the Queen, his Term and Interest which was nothing in substance, to the intention that the Queen should re-grant to him for 20. years, this fallacie avoids the Lease, and yet it is no such Lease which of necessity ought to be recited, and so is 8. H. 7. fo. 3. by Vavisor, if the King at the suit of I. S. grants the Manor of D. of the value of 50. marks, and this is of the value of 100. marks, and this upon the information of the party, in this case the grant is void, and so is 8. H. 6. 28. by Juine, if the King be informed by petition, that such Land is but of the value of 8. l. a year, which in truth is of greater value, the patent is void, 11. Ed. 4. 1. The Patentee suggests that a surrender was made, whereas in deed there was no Surrender at all, there also the Patent is void, and so is 3. H. 7. the Prior of Norwich his case, but there

there it is expressed in the Patent, that the party had informed the Queen of a thing which is false, and this is not expressed in our case, yet it seems to me that there is no difference between that case, and the case in question, for it is plaine that in our case, that the surrender and consideration, are the information of the party which was the motive to induce the Queen to her grant, for the suggestion is grounded upon the surrender, the which surrender is fraudulent and deceptive, and therefore the Patent is void. Altonwoods case Cooke Lib. 1. 40. The King grants the Mannor of Riton and Condor, where in truth they were two Mannors, there neither of them passe, Fitzh. Grants 58. and so here the suggestion is grounded upon the words of the Surrender, which are false and deceptive, and therefore the Patent is void, also it seems that when the Queen grants in consideration, that the Grantee did assume to repair, and it is found that he had not repaired, this not performing of the consideration avoids the Patent, and this is proved by Barwicks case Cook lib. 5. if the King will make a Patent for a consideration which is for the Kings benefit, (be it Executory, or executed, of Record or not) if it be not true, or duly performed, the Patent is thereby void; And here the Covenant or assumption not being performed according to the Queens intention, and the consideration of the Grant will also make void the Patent. And it may be construed as a Proviso in an Indenture, within some Cases, both amount to a Covenant, and condition also, as it was in the case of Simpson and Titterell, and also in the case of the Earl of Pembroke vouched in Cook lib. 2. in the Lord Cromwells case, and therefore I conceive that the words super se Assumpsit edificare is parcell of the consideration, as well as if it had been pro eo quod edificabit; and so avoids the Patent by the not performance thereof: Altham Second Baron, saies, it seems to me that the Judgement ought to be given for the Plaintiff. there are three things considerable in the Case: First, whether the Lease made to Hitchmore were ever good or not, in respect of a false suggestion; Secondly, whether in that the consideration, that he did assume upon himself to repair, and the Queen indeed never had any precedent information made of the want thereof, do avoid the Patent in the foundation; Thirdly, admit it be good in the foundation, whether the Lease become void afterwards for not repairing; And first I will speak to such things which in my opinion will not avoid the Patent; First it seems, that this want of not assuring, doth not vitiate the Patent, for the words Assumpsit supposeth matter of Fact executed, and whether it be true or false, it cannot be now examined, no more then in the Cases put 21. Ed. 4. and 26 H. 8. In consideration of service done, although there was no service done, yet that shall not avoid the Patent; Sir Hugh Cholmleys case, Cook lib. 2. Recital of a matter in Pais, and not of Record, which is not materiall, nor valuable, doth not vitiate the Patent, 37. H. 6. 27. The King in his Privie Seale suggests a matter in Fact, this doth not destroy the Patent, also although that the consideration is as well for that he assumed to repair, as, &c. and it is found that he hath not repaired, yet this fault shall not avoid the Patent, for as it seems here it is not in nature of a conditionall estate, or Grant, as if it had been in consideration he shall repaire, for as the words are here placed, it is intended that the Queen will rely upon the Assumpsit, and not upon the condition, and grant, and it seems that the Patent is void, only upon the misrecital, and the false suggestion, which is the first Point, for it appears by the misrecital, that the Queen was deceived in a thing materiall, and valuable, and therefore the Patent void, and yet I agree, that every false recital or suggestion doth not avoid a Patent, as in 9. Ed. 4. Baggots Ass. 29. Ed. 3. 7. if the King recite in his Patent, that he had made a precedent Grant upon a Petition, yet this falsity doth not avoid the Patent, and in 27. Ed. 4. although that this falsity, be in point of consideration, yet if it be not for matter of profit, and valuable to the King, it doth not avoid the Patent, but if it appear, that the Kings intention was grounded upon a matter of value, and substance, and that he was therein deceived, the Patent is for that cause void, as in 9. H. 6. fo. 2. 8. H. 7. fo. 3. 21. Ed. 4. 9. H. 7. fo. 2. and 11. H. 4. fo. 1. and this

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this is all one as if it should appear in the Recital of consideration, that the Kings intention was grounded upon a matter of value, and the King therein deceived: therefore in Altonwoods case Cooke lib. 1. If the King recite that A. is indebted unto him, as Executor of B. and he release to him all demands generally, yet nothing shall be released, but that which he owed as Executor, and so if the King recite, that whereas an Adowson is holden of I. S. and he gives Licence to appropriate, if the Adowson be holden of the King, this is void, 19. E. 3. Fitzh. Grants 58. It seems clearly that if it appear by the Patent expressly, that the intent of the King was received, and abused, the Patent shall be void, although it be not in matter of recital, or in matter of consideration neither, as in 9. Ed. 4. fo. 6. and 8. by Neale 21. Aff. pla. 15. 40. Aff. pla. 36. The King gives Licence to his Tenant to alien in Fee, and afterwards it appears that this Tenant was but Tenant in Tail, and so in the case of the Parker of Fair of Torrington cited in Altonwoods case, and in our Case the Queen is deceived, and misinformed in two Circumstances materiall, and of value. First, for that she conceived that a greater quantity of the thing demised to Potter is surrendered then in truth there was, and therein she is deceived, for part of the thing is not come to her hands by the surrender. Secondly the Queens intent was to make an intire Lease of all in possession, and this cannot be, for part of the thing it enures but as a Lease in reversion, or future interest, and therefore void, as it is in Altonwoods case Cook Lib. 1. and the Queen hath a double prejudice hereby. First, because she cannot distrain for her rent reserved, in that part which is not surrendered. Secondly, she cannot enter therein for the condition broken, wherefore, &c. Tanfield accordingly, that judgement should be given for the Plaintiff: The Patent recites, That all the Term which Potter had surrendered, &c. where in truth it was not so, and therefore it is cleere that the Queen is deceived therein, and the Grant void, for it was the very inducement which procured the new Patent, and this recital is grounded upon the words of the deed of surrender, so the surren. is grounded upon y^e information of Hitchmore contained in the surrender. And if in that Clause Hitchmore had been well advised, the Lease to him ought to have been, A. having of the Mills in possession, and A. having the Messuage and Garden after the Term (which Wilkinson had) should be expired, and the reservation of the Rent ought to have been expressed accordingly, for as it is shuffled together, the condition cannot avoid the surrender, nor the rent cannot issue out thereof: Therefore it was adjudged in 9. Eliz. in the Common-Bench in the Bishop of Salisburies case. B. leased of two Acres, one whereof was in Lease to A. for years, B. makes a Lease of both to a Stranger, to have y^e one in possession, the other in reversion rendering 20. s. rent entirely: now this rent shall issue out of that in possession, during the Term in A. and after it shall issue out of the whole as one intire rent, and so it is in our Case, for default of severall reservations, for this is one intire rent, and then the Queen cannot distrain upon all the Land, as she intended, so in our Case, wherefore I adjudge the Patent void, not upon the point of recital that is not for the recital of a Subjects Lease, viz. the Lease of one Wilkinson, but it is for the cause of misinforming the Queen in the matter of value, and by consequence as hath been said, Nemo tenetur informare qui nescit, sed quisquis scire quod informat; And where Snig hath said, that this Patent is made Ex certa scientia & mero motu. And for this, it cannot be intended that the Queen was gull'd upon the information of the party, I say that there are not any words in the Grant to prove that it was Ex mero motu, &c. And for that it seems Snig had no true Copy of the Case, yet if these words were in the Patent, it is not void for a triviall and petty mistaking, yet in matter substantiall it will not help it, as if the King be misinformed of his estate, in such a thing to be granted, or of estates which are in Lease, for these are materiall things, 21. Ed. 4. by Hufsey and Briant, if the King recite that whereas I have given my Land of 100. l. value to him, or whereas I have given to him the Mannor of D. and he grants to me the Mannor of S. & this

this recital be falſe, the Patent is void, although it hath theſe words *Ex certa ſcientia, et mero motu*, and ſo is 18. Eliz. Dyer 352. where the Patent was *ex certa ſcientia, et mero motu*, &c. but there Dyer held, that this falſtute in the matter of Recital did avoid the Patent, notwithstanding the words *ex mero motu* &c. but he held it otherwiſe, if it were in a conſideration which is falſe, for at that time, the point of falſtute in matter of conſideration for 100 l. to be paid, although it be much contrabected in our Books, and it ſeems in what place ſoever of the patent it appears, that the King is miſ-informed & deceived in any matter material or concerning his own eſtate in the thing to be granted, that that will vitiate the Patent, and therefore 17. Eliz. the Queen ſeiſed of the Manor of D. grants all her purpartie of the Manor of D. if in this caſe, a Common perſon had granted by ſuch words, the Manor had paſſed, but in the Queens caſe it will be a void grant, becauſe a thing which ſhe intended to paſs, cannot paſs in ſuch plight as ſhe conceived it, viz. as a purpartie, and 36. Eliz. the Queen grants all her poſſion of Wiſbech &c. although ſhe had a Parſonage there, yet it doth not paſs, for this manner of Appellation implies, that the Queen was miſ-informed, and not well inſtructed of the thing to be granted, and therefore void; ſee Cook lib. 4. in Bozuns caſe, *Ex certa ſcientia et mero motu* &c. doth not help it, alſo if the King recite, that whereas he had ſuch land by the attainder of I. S. where in truth he had it not by his attainder; now although that he grants this land *Ex certa ſcientia, et mero motu*, yet this will not paſs, but if the King be not deceived in the point of ſatiſfying himſelf, but in the deducing of his title, that will not prejudice the Patent, as if the King recite, that whereas I. S. had land by deſcent from his father, and he grants it to the King, and the King doth re-grant the ſame to I. S. this grant is good, notwithstanding that I. S. had it not by deſcent from his father, ſee the Lord Lovels caſe in Plowden; that if the King be deceived only in the point of miſ-conveyance, the Law will not avoid the Patent, as if he grant to one and his heirs born at D. the laſt words are void, and the grant is good; Paſch. 42. Eliz. it was agreed, that if the King be Tenant for life or years, and makes a leaſe for one and twenty years, this leaſe is void to all intents againſt the King, becauſe it appears not in the grant, what eſtate the King had, and by that leaſe the King conceived, that he had power by his eſtate to make an abſolute leaſe, whereas legally his leaſe ought to determine by his death, ſo by implication it is maniſeſt, that the King was not well inſtructed of his eſtate, 39. Eliz. the Queen leaſed for twenty one years, to begin whenſoever the land ſhould fall in poſſeſſion by the expiration of any former leaſe, then in being, if in that caſe there were no precedent leaſe then in being, this leaſe will be void, for theſe words imply, that the Queen conceived her former leaſe to be in being, and ſo impliedly ſhe is deceived in her intent, in like manner in the principal caſe the Queen was deceived in her intention, for the recital is, that all the eſtate which Potter had, is come to the Queen by ſurrender, and in truth all the eſtate is not come unto her, in reſpect of a mean eſtate to Wilkinſon; &c. as to the ſecond point, it ſeems the conſideration being, that he did aſſume to new build, implies aſmuch as if he had ſaid, he faithfully promiſed, and then it is all one as if it had been, for that that he ſhall build, for it is a conſideration executory, and in of value, and then the not performance thereof vitiates the Patent, and the eſtate was, as if it had been by a limitation to ceaſe, and theſe words, that he did aſſume upon himſelf, cannot be conſtrued to any other intent, but unto an executory conſideration, becauſe the King hath no remedy by way of Action, for the breach of this promiſe, and it cannot be conceived, that the Covenant is ſatiſfied in giving ſecuritie, for it is obſervable, that the Covenant is but the ordinary Covenant, viz. to repair, and keep repaired, and ſo a trivial reparation will ſatiſſie that, but it appears that the Queens intent was not to make the leaſe for ſuch a petty conſideration, becauſe the Leſſee had undertaken at his own charges to new build the Mills, but the expreſs Covenant doth not binde him to the new building of them, and in 6. Eliz. the like leaſe was made of the Manor of Lidleſ-

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court to Customer Smith, and the lease was for that, that he assumed, that he at his costs would &c. and he avoided his lease upon a former lease made to A. of the premises, and in truth the lease formerly made to A. was merely void upon the making of this lease, though peradventure the condition may be good, and the consideration performed, but the Queen was not well instructed of her title; also in this case, the lease to Hitchmore is not determined by a condition, as it hath been objected, but it ceaseth and is determined by a limitation, and this may well enough revert in the Queen, without curie of office, because it was but a Term, and such words purporting an executory consideration in the Queens case implies as much, as if in case of a Common person it had been said expressly to cease upon an act not performed, for in the Kings case the Law speaketh, and if so, then the lease for years is void, and the Patentee may enter without office, and all considerations executory in leases made by the King amount to a conditional limitation, and then he who will have benefit by such a lease ought to aver the performance of the consideration, as if a man declare upon a lease made unto him, &c. if I. S. should so long live, he ought to aver his life in the Declaration, because it determines, by limitation at his death, but otherwise it is upon a condition, if a Parson make a lease for years, the Lessee aver the life of the Parson, because by his death the lease ends by a limitation implied, but otherwise it should if it were upon condition, for the performance of that needs not be averred; but that ought to be shewed on the other part, and so it seemeth, that as well for the point of falsitie in the recital, as also in the not performing of the consideration, that the lease is void, and the Plaintiff should have judgement which was entered accordingly. Sir, Baron, was of opinion against all the other Barons, and he held that judgement ought to be given for the Defendant, for he said, that the Patent made to Hitchmore prooveth that it was not made by reason of any suggestion of the partie, for it is expressed to be made ex mero motu, &c. and then the not surrendering of the other Term doth not vitiate, also if the lease be forfeited to the Queen for not repairing, then the Queen should have a title before the lease made to the contractors, under which the Plaintiff claims, and that not being found by office, the contractors shall have no benefit thereof, and as to the cases 9. H. 6. and Torringtons case cited Cook lib. 1. Altonwoods case, the words of the Patent which express, that the Patent should be good, so that it be not ad nocumentum &c. which is not in our case, doth not prove the case in question; also if the consideration be smal, and recited as executed, it doth vitiate the Patent although it be false, and it is said in Sir Thomas Wrothes case in Plowden, that it is not honourable for the King to continue his Patent to be void, by colour of deceit upon an inference, except it be upon a manifest deceit, and in Barwicks case Cook lib. 5. the consideration was a surrender of all the estate, and therefore it differed from the case in 18. Eliz. Dyer, because there it was in consideration of an estate, which in truth was never in being, and the cases whereupon he relied for the proove of this matter is the principal case of Altonwoods, and the Lord Chandos case: that if a violent intendment might be admitted in the Kings grants upon an inference, it might be here inferred, that the King should have the estate by this particular surrender, but the Books resplied, that no such inference shall be admitted to avoid the Kings patent, or otherwise, but in that case of the Lord Chandos it appeared, that the information of the partie was true, and so it was not here, because it was informed, that all the right which Potter had, is devolved to Hitchmore, which is not so, and therefore a difference between those two cases.

Nota, that the course of this Court is, that if A. be indebted, or be an accomptant to the King, and A. hath another debtor, which debtor hath a third person

person indebted unto him, in such case A. may by English Bill in the Exchequer pray, that the estate of the debtoꝝ of his debtoꝝ, may be extended foꝝ the debt of the said A. and it shall be granted.

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IN 6. Jac. in Ejectione firme, between Clerk and Rutland it appeared, that a feme sole possessed of a Term of years, assigns this to A. in trust, and after entermarries with him in reversion, and after the husband being in quiet possession, he and his wife joyn in a Bargaine and sale to B. upon valuable consideration, and after the wife dies, and the assignee both set on foot the lease, and if this shall be void against the Bargainee was the question upon evidence, and it seemeth not, because the Bargainee claimeth nothing by conveyance from the wife, and also this trust in the Term doth not belong to the husband after the death of the wife; foꝝ Tanfield said, that it was decreed in the Chancery, and the opinion of the Judges was in one Denies case, if a feme sole assign a lease in trust, and after taketh husband, and dieth, that the administrator of the wife should have this trust, and that the Administration shall be granted foꝝ this Term, although there be no other thing foꝝ which the Administration ought to be granted: also it was touched in this case, that if the father make a lease foꝝ forty years to a stranger, and continue in possession, and after conveys the land to a younger son, who foꝝ a valuable consideration conveyeth it over, it was doubted, if the purchaser should avoid this lease oꝝ not, but it was said, that if in that case, the father after the making of such a lease, had suffered the land to descend to his eldest son, who had been partie to this trust, that then the Purchaser of the eldest son should avoid this lease, as it was ruled in Burwells case Cook lib. 6.

Upon a motion made by Prideaux, that Robert winter one of the Powder Traitors made a lease foꝝ years 1. Jac. to one Gower, and that after 3. Jac. the Lessoꝝ was attainted of Treason by Parliament, which attainder related to a time before the conveyance of the Fee, and if in this case the Term be saved oꝝ lost it was the question.

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EDward Wickham declared in an Ejectione firme, that Skreen 17. April 6: Jac. at Framlingham in Suffolk demised to him 30. Acres of pasture, to have foꝝ three years &c. and upon the general issue pleaded the Jury found, that Thomas Cooper, and three others were seised of the lands in question, and the fifth of February 24. H. 8. infeoffed by Indenture M. B. and five others, to the uses and intents mentioned in a Schedul annexed, and that was upon condition, that if they aliened to any other uses oꝝ purposes, that the Feoffoꝝ should re-enter, and the Jury also found the Schedule, which in effect was this, viz. that the Feoffees and their heirs, should take the profits, and therewith finde an honest priest, by them oꝝ the greater number of them to be hired, and competently paid to say Masses foꝝ the soules of the Feoffoꝝ and his friends, and that by the space of 99. years then ensuing, and at the end of the said years, the Feoffees their heirs and assigns, who then should be seised, should sell the lands, and with the money finde a Priest, to Chaunt foꝝ the soules aforesaid, and with the said moneys oꝝ lands also, to

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make further provision for a competent poor honest Priest for the time being, (if then it could be) by a Amortization, or otherwise as they should think best, for the sure and long continuance of the said honest Priest, if so it could be continued by order of Law, the Jury found all things executed accordingly, and the finding of a Priest from the 24th. of H. 8. until the first of Ed. 6. by which Act the King was entituled prout lex postulat, and that Queen Eliz. granted to Mildmay for 21. years, upon whom Fuller, the heir of the surviving Feoffee entered, and made a Feoffment to Wilbey and Skreen, by force whereof they were seised, and Mildmay re-entered, and his Term expiring, he obtained a new lease 43. Eliz. and made a lease to Wood, and Skreen survived Wilbey, and made a lease to Wickham, who entered, and being outed by Wood brought this Action. Bromley puisne Baron, upon all the matter I observe three things. First, if the Fee-simple in this case by the letter or meaning of the Statute be given to the Crown, for the lease of 99. years is agreed to be given. Secondly, if there be such an employment of this land as the Statute requireth, admitting the lease was not given. Thirdly, if the liberty upon the Queens Lessee for years be good: and I hold that the Fee is not given to the Queen. Secondly, the land is not employed, &c. admitting that it was given. Thirdly, that the Feoffment here is not good; and as to the case at Bar the Feoffees may enter: I doubt not of that because there is not any thing found, but that it was employed to the uses intended for 99. years. Secondly, if it were not employed according to the condition, after 1. Ed. 6. yet they cannot enter, for themselves were parties to the Act which did prohibit it, as 34. H. 8. Dyer 52. the Queen gives licence, that Belmeit shall be transported notwithstanding any Statute made, or to be made, if after it be prohibited, the licence is determined, because the Patentee himself was a party to such Statutes. Secondly, it is said in Addams and Lamberts case, that a superstitious devise or other estate upon condition is within the Statute, because the Patentee was party thereto. Thirdly, it is said in the said case, that a superstitious devise or other estate upon condition is within the Statute, because it is penal, and compulsorie for the maintenance of a thing prohibited by the Law, and also there it is said, that there is a proviso towards the end of that Act, that it shall not be Lawful by reason of any remainder or condition for any man to claim any lands, &c. for the not doing, or finding of any such Priest: as to the other point which was moved at Bar, I hold that the use both not arise upon the words subsequent, and if they do not re-enter, that then the land shall go to the use of the four Feoffees, to the intent aforesaid, is not a mis-employing nor an employment. Secondly, these words to the intent, do not raise any use, but only a confidence and trust reposed in the Feoffees. Doctor and Student 94. for the first point therefore he held, that there is no superstitious gift of the Fee-simple, and if there were, it is not employed &c. and therefore it is not given by the Statute of 1. Ed. 6. to the Queen: and touching that we are to consider the Statute, Indenture, and the Schedule, and there is not a word, that after 99. years the land shall finde a Priest, but the money, and the land is not given, but the money, as in the Dean of Pauls case 22. Eliz. Dyer 368. if land be given to finde a Priest with part of the profits thereof, those profits are only given to the King by this Statute, and not the land, but that belongs to the Dean and Chapter: also the Schedule is, if then it may be lawful, and therefore if it were not then lawful, the money is not given, and it is like to the case, where I make a lease for 21. years, if I do allow of it before Michaelmas, and before Michaelmas do not allow of it. this is a void lease, and so if I give land to the use of Westminster School, if the Dean will enter into a Recognizance, &c. and if he will not enter into a Recognizance, it is no gift, like to the case 15. H. 7. a grant of Annuity if such a thing be done, &c. secondly, as to the employment, the lease is only found to be employed, and the employment of the lease is no employment of the Fee, which was not given until the Term was expired, and if the gift be not superstitious

ious the imploymēt ought not to be ſuperſtitious; and yet as it is ſaid in Adams caſe, there ought to be an imploymēt to intitle the Queen, as the caſe there is, if one gives the Mannor of D. and S. to ſuperſtitious uſes, the Queen ſhall have the lands out of the hands of the Feoffee, and if land be given to ſinde a Prielt in the Church of D. for 20 years, and after to ſinde one in S. for 21. years, and befoze the expiration of the firſt Term, the Statute is made, it ſeems the Queen ſhall have only the firſt Term, becauſe there is no imploymēt of the ſecond Term within the Statute, 5. Ed. 4. 20. 15. Ed. 3. Execu. 63. I agree thoſe caſes, for land or rent iſſue from a leiſin 30. Ed. 3. 12. in a quare impedit 5. Ed. 6. Benlowes, a deviſe to 8. to the uſes and intent, that the Feoffees with the profits ſhall ſinde a Prielt, whiſt the Law of this Reſoln will ſuffer it, and if the Law will not ſuffer it, then to the uſe of three of the pooreſt of the Pariſhes adjoining, by all the Judges this is not within the Statute; and as to the laſt point it ſeems, that the Feoffment is good, and the intereſt of the Queen is no impediment, which if it be not then there is no queſtion, as Dyer 20. Eliz. 363. Tenant in tail makes a feoffment, the ſervants of the Leſſee for years being upon the land and livery is made, and after the Leſſee for years agrees ſaving his Term, this is a diſcontinuance 14. Ed. 4. 2. 3. and 4. Ph. et M. Dyer 139. poſſeſſion ſhall not be gained from the Queen, but by matter of Record 4. Affiſes 5. 21. Affiſes 2. 8. H. 4. 16. 1. H. 7. no livery upon the Kings poſſeſſion, it may be deviſed by the heir, or conveyed by bargain and ſale, or by fine from him; and the Kings eſtate in reversion doth not prejudice the eſtate in poſſeſſion, as it is 23. Ed. 3. 7. a diſſeiſor conveys land to the Queen who grants for life, and the diſſeiſee ſhall have a writ of entrie againſt the Queens Leſſee for life, by the opinion of Thorp, Cook lib. 4. 55. a diſſeiſor makes a leaſe for life, the remainder to the King; a recovery of the land againſt Tenant for life will defeat the Kings remainder, 7. Rich. 2. aide of the King 61. Tenant in tail grants the land to the King with warranty, and the King makes a leaſe for life, if the iſſue recover in a Formedon the Kings eſtate is defeated; and I was of Council in the Court of wards, in a caſe which was Paſch. 43. Eliz. betwixt Chackſton and Starkey, for the Wardſhip of the heir of Clifford, and it was this, the Ward at full age tendered his livery, and had ſix moneths to ſue it, and within the ſix moneths made a Feoffment, and after died befoze livery ſued, in this caſe the livery and leiſin was void, and it is all one as if no tender had been made, for the Queens poſſeſſion was privileged; the ſecond point was, that one being in Ward to the King, had a reversion in Fee expectant upon an eſtate for life, and befoze livery ſued made a Feoffment in Fee, this makes a diſcontinuance of the reversion, notwithstanding the Kings intereſt, which he had in reversion for the Wardſhip, which caſe is like to the caſe above mentioned of a leaſe for years, and alſo it was there ſaid, that if Tenant for life be, the remainder to the King for years, the remainder to another in Fee, and the Tenant for life makes a Feoffment in Fee, this draws the Kings remainder out of him, and ſo he held, that here is no gift. Secondly, that here is no imploymēt, and ſo the Feoffment is made good. Altham ſecond Baron contra, I will conſider only two points. Firſt, if it be a gift for years or for ever, and I ſay, that it is a gift for ever, for here is no intent in the Donor to determine the ſuperſtitious uſe, becauſe he doth not limit any other uſe to which it ſhould revert, but only that the Prielt ſhould be maintained for ever, and as that which hath been ſaid, that it was not imploied, he answereth that out of the Book of 21. Affiſes 52. where 12. d. is reſerved for three years, and after 100. s. leiſin of 12. d. is leiſin of the 100. s. becauſe it is iſſuing out of the freehold, as the caſe is in Littleton in the Chapter of Attournement, Tenant for life, the remainder in Fee, the Lord ſhall not abate upon the remainder, but ſhall have it by way of Eſcheat, for all the eſtates together are holden of the Lord, but if land be given to ſinde a Prielt in D. and one is maintained in S. this is a null-imploymēt; but in our caſe I conceive, that the Feoffees have power to diſpoſe the land,

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land, as to them seems best, and therefore it is uncertain, and then given to the King as it was in Dales case, land was given to the intent, that a Priest should be maintained as l. S. and l. D. thought fit, so that he had not less then 8. marks yearly, the King shall have all, for the Feoffees may give all to the Priest if they please, and in Turners case, land was devised to a Priest, and divers poor men, all is given to the King by the superstitious imployment, and as to the words, (if by the Law it may be) they are idle, for id possumus quod de Jure possumus, and therefore 9. Ed. 6. an office was given to one if he were able to exercise it, these words are idle, for the Law saith, that he shall not have it, if he be not able to execute it, 30. Ed. 3. 8. a gift to two and to the longer liver of them, that the Survivor shall have it, are idle words, 10. H. 7. a Condition that &c. and here if the condition had been until an Act of Parliament prohibit it, they are idle words, for if land be given to l. S. and his heirs, upon condition, that if he die without heirs &c. this is a void condition and Repugnant to Law. Lastly, I hold the feofment good by way of Admittance, and that the livery takes effect, notwithstanding the Queens interest 4. H. 6. 19. the Kings Tenant for life is disfeised, he shall have an Assise, and yet there is no intrusion upon the King 17. H. 7. 6. the Kings Lessee makes a feofment, the King enters, and so he held, that the judgement should be given for the Defendant. Snig Baron argued much to the same intent, that Bromley had done, and that the Schedule is so circumpect, that nothing is given after the 99. years, and that a Spirit of Divination forwarned him of the alteration, and he agreed the Feofment to be good with this difference, where the King is in possession actually, and where the Reversion is in the King, and the book of 2 H. 4. 9. that none shall enter upon the Kings Farmor is to be understood of the Kings under Tenants, and not of his Lessees. Tanfield chief Baron said, that neither by the intent of the Statute, nor of the parties, the fees is given to the Queen, but it is apparant, that during the 99. years, the parties intent is in suspence for fear of alteration, and that they would see the difference of the times, and leave the disposing thereof to his Feoffees, and if they had sold the land, and with the money maintained a Priest, as many Stocks of money have used to do, without doubt it had been forfeited to the King, and not the land, and it would be in vain to speak of an Amortization, if it be for a stipendary Priest only, for this would not be necessary to have a foundation incorporated, and to make an Amortization for such a Priest, and therefore it seems to him, that there is no determination of his will after the 99. years, but that all is left to the determination and disposition of the feoffees who then should be, and after the intent of the Statute, which was penned by Hales Justice of the Common Pleas. I observe four words, given, appointed, limited, and assigned, and I do not conceive, that our case is within the compass of any of them, for as I said before, it is in suspence until the end of 99. years, and the parties who should have the interest are not known untill the time come, nor the estate settled until that time, but if it had been conveyed to superstitious uses after, it had been given to the Queen, notwithstanding the conveyance had not been sufficient, if he who did convey had power in respect of the abilitie of his person, and the estate in him, and therefore Pasch. 23. Eliz. the case was this, Sir William Say, before the Statute of 32. H. 8. of Wills was seised of lands in fee not devisable, and before the said Statute he devised it to finde a Priest, and notwithstanding that the devise was not good, yet it was adjudged, that the land was given to the Queen by 1. Ed. 6. but if it were a feme covert, or an infant, who are disabled in Law, or a Tenant in tail, who is disabled in respect of his estate, there it had not been given to the Queen, but in all cases there ought to be an assignment, or otherwise nothing is given; and there is a difference where one grants land to the intent with the profits thereof to finde a Priest, there all the land is given to the Queen, and where he grants a rent for the maintenance of a Priest, for there the King shall have but the Rent;

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and he said, that the Case cited, 5. Ed. 6. Benlos, is good Law, and as to that which hath been said: That because the power of the Feoffees is uncertain, it should be given to the Queen, true it is where the power is uncertain to bestow the profits, but if their power be certain, it is otherwise, and as to the employment there is none, because there is no gift, but the employment of the particular estate is an employment of the Remainder, and a small thing will make an employment. James case was of the Greyhound in Fleetstreet which was given to find a Priest, and the White Horse for the maintenance of another, and the Feoffees of the White-horse, maintained the Priest of the Greyhound; and converso, and this was ruled to be an employment, for it was whereby, or wherewith a Priest was maintained, although it was not whereof, and Mich. 21. Eliz. the Kings head in Breadstreet, now Fishstreet was given to find a Priest, and a rent-charge granted in performance of the Will, and this was adjudged an employment of the house, and so where the assignment is good, a small thing will make an employment. And it seems that the Liberie is good, and as to that, that no Libery can be made without ousting of the Lessee, and by his consent, and therefore 9. Eliz. It is ruled, that a Feoffment with a Letter of Attorney to the Lessee to make livery is good, and no surrender, and Eides and Knotsfords case, 41. Eliz. Lessee for years, remainder for life, remainder in fee, he in remainder in fee makes a Feoffment to the Lessee for years, and makes Libery, and it was adjudged a good Feoffment, because it was not a surrender, in respect of the meane estate for life, and no ouster nor consent will serve, for then it would be a disseisin, which cannot be upon the possession of the Lessee for years, for his possession is also of him in the remainder for life, and I put these Cases, that there ought to be a consent of ouster, but I agree that the Queens possession cannot be defeated by entry or ouster, as it is 4. Mar. Dyer 139. 8. Aff. 21. 18. H. 8. 16. But the Kings Ward may make an estate, 1. H. 7. But if the King be not in possession, but a remainder only in him, and the Lessee makes a Feoffment, rendering 12. d. rent, this estate in the King doth not privilege any other in possession, and so judgement was given for the Plaintiff against the opinion of Altham:

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Mrs Chamberlains case.

In 22. Eliz. York recovered by Indictment in the Kings Bench against Allen upon an Assumpsit, York being thus incressed of the debt, after that is in May, 26. Eliz. was outlawed upon a mean Proces at the suit of I. S. and in the same year and moneth was outlawed after judgement at the suit of the same I. S. and after a generall pardon came 27. Eliz. in which pardon, after the pardon of all contempts for outlawrie, there are words also purporting a Grant, bounety, and liberality, whereby the Queen granted all monies forfeited, or come unto her hands, by reason of any such outlawry, with other words in the same pardon, and Provisoos therein contained, necessary to be observed: And after in 28. El. York was outlawed again after judgement at the suit of I. S. and then Yorke died, but he lived a full year after the pardon, 27. Eliz. and did not sue any Scire facias against the party, at whose suit he was outlawed after Judgement; and after the death of Yorke another pardon came, 29. Eliz. to the same effect with the pardon in 27. And after the Queen grants this debt to Anger for the benefit of Mrs Chamberlain, who was the Wife of Yorke, and Anger sued in the Queens name to have an extent, out of this Court against Allen, who was the party against whom Judgement was given, and all this was drawn into a Case, and delivered to the Barons of the Exchequer to consider upon, viz. If execution may be sued in the Queens name against Allen, and this case was argued at the Barre at which I was present; And now it was argued at the Bench by Bromley Justice Barou, and concluded that Anger may well sue execution in the Queens name, but

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but he had almost made an end of his Argument before I came into the Court, and three points seemed to be considered of in the Case. The 1. was unanimously resolved, and agreed by all the Barons, that either of the pardons will advantage Allen, who was debtor to the party outlawed, for although that the words of the pardon, import a pardon of all debts and sums of money accrued to the Queen by reason of the outlawry, yet comparing all the parts of the pardons together, it will plainly appear, that the intent of the pardon was only for the advantage of him, who had committed the forfeiture by the contempt, and extends only to him by way of restitution; And another construction would be repugnant to all the Causes contained in the Act; By Tanfield, as a Will ought to receive construction by due consideration of the intention of the Testator collected out of all the parts thereof, so the meaning of an Act of Parliament ought to be expounded by an examination of the intention of the makers thereof, collected out of all the causes there in, so that there be no repugnancy, but a concordancy in all the parts thereof, and ther. fore if a man by will devise Bare to A. and his heirs, and by another cause in the same Will he devises B. acre to B. and his assigns, it shall not be void in any part, inasmuch that if both had been placed together, A. and B. should be Jointenants, and therefore the Law will make such a construction, and so if a man devise B. acre to A. and alter he devises a Rent out of it to another, both shall stand: Brett and Rigdens case, Plowden, Also this Debt was due by Allen; 2. It was resolved by Tanfield and Bromley, that Yorke should take no advantage by the Pardon in 27. Eliz. to have his goods restored, which were forfeited by the outlawry after judgement, for by them all the Statute for the pardon of the outlawry after judgement was penned in such a form, as it is but conditionall, for it is in effect provided, that the pardon shall not extend to the party outlawed after judgement untill he shall pay or agree with the party, at whose suit he was outlawed, and this payment ought to be in the Court, or in such manner that the Court may be satisfied by the suing of a Scire facias, and an acknowledgement of the party at whose suit, &c. for a bare payment in the Country is not sufficient; But when the party outlawed hath once lawfully satisfied the party, at whose suit he was outlawed, then the pardon will relate ab initio to avoid all intervenient matters, if the satisfaction be made in convenient time, and therefore if the King had granted the goods forfeited by outlawry after judgment meane between the pardon, and the suing of the Scire facias, yet if the party outlawed sue this Scire facias within convenient time, the pardon shall have such relation as it shall defeat the grant of the goods, and therefore Tanfield compared the words in the pardon of the outlawry after judgement to the words in the Statute of 27. H. 8. of inrolments, for there it is provided, that nothing shall passe by bargain and Sale, except the Deed be inrolled within six moneths after, but if it be not inrolled, otherwise it is.

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reth: Bromley and Altham Barons, that the Declaration of the uses made by the third Indenture was good, and he having power by the first to declare new uses, may declare them with power of Revocation, for it is not merely a power, but conjoynd with an interest, and therefore may be executed with a power of Revocation, and then when he by the third Indenture rebokes the former uses, now it is as if new uses had been declared, and then he may declare uses at any time after the Fine, as it appears by 4. Mar. Dyer 136. and Coke lib. 9. Downhams case, and in this case they did rely upon Diggs case Cooke lib. 1. where it is said, that upon such a Power, he can reboke but once, for that part, unlesse he had a new power of Revocation of Uses newly to be limited, whereby it is implied, that if he had a new power to appoint new uses, he may reboke them also. Snig Baron to the contrary, and said, that he had not power to declare 3. severall uses, by the first contract, which ought to Authorise all the Declarations upon that Fine, and then the Revocation by the third Indenture is good, and the limitation void, and then it shall be to the use of R. B. and his heirs, and so by the death of R. B. it doth descend to T. B. the Recusant, and also he said, that such an Indenture, to declare uses upon uses, was never made, and it would be mischievous to declare infinite uses upon uses. Tanfield held, that the uses in the second Indenture stand unreboke, and the new uses in the third Indenture are void, and then H. B. ought to have the Land again out of the Kings hands. The power in the second Indenture is, that he may reboke and limit new uses, and that the Fine shall be to those new uses, and no others: and then if there be a Revocation, and no punctuall limitation, he had not pursued his Authority, for he ought to reboke and limit, and he cannot doe the one without the other: Also he said, that after such Revocation and limitation, the fine shall be to such new uses and no other, then if there be no new uses well limited in the third Indenture, the former uses shall stand void.

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Nota, it seemeth that if a man make a Feoffment and declare uses, and reserve a power to reboke them, without saying more, he cannot reboke them, and limit new, for the use of the Fine being once declared by the Indenture, no other use can be averred or declared which is not warranted thereby, for he cannot declare the fine to be to new uses, when it was once declared before, Cook lib. 2. 76. That no other use can be averred, then that in the conveyance, Cooke lib. 9. 10, 11. Although that the first uses are determined, as if a man declare the use of a Fine, to be to one and his Heires upon condition, that he shall pay 40. l. &c. or untill he do such an Act, if the first use be determined, the Fine cannot be otherwise declared to be to new uses; And therefore it seemes that all the uses which shall rise out of the Fine, ought to spring from the first Indenture, which testifieth the certain intention of the parties in the leaving thereof, and then in the Case above, the second Indenture and the limitation of new uses thereby, are well warranted by the first Indenture, and in respect that this is not a naked power only, I conceive that they may be upon condition, or upon a power of Revocation to determine them; But the power to limit the third uses by a third indenture after revocation of the second uses in the second indenture, hath not any Warrant from the first Indenture, and without such Warrant, there can be no Declaration of such new uses, which were not declared or authorised by the first Indenture, which Note, for it seems to be good Law.

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